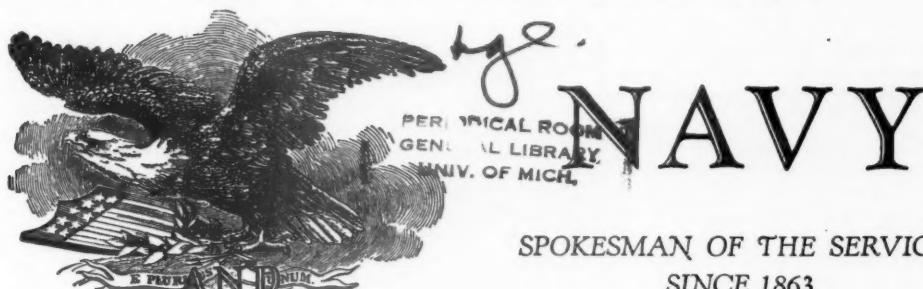


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THE ARMORED SCHOOL

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Commandant

DEDICATED to the purpose of insuring armored supremacy for the United States in any future war, The Armored School at Fort Knox, Kentucky, is unceasingly engaged in developing armored leadership conscious of its powerful role in the ground force combat team.

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Fort Knox has been the home of armor since the first students were enrolled at The Armored School on 4 November 1940. Within a few weeks student enrollment rose to 2600, and continued to soar until it reached a peak in February, 1943 of 9000. A two-day shift continued through the war years.

The problems of organization, construction, curriculum, procurement of instructors and the care and housing of students were all solved with careful planning and dynamic action under the pressure of demand for armor.

The cost of the school exceeded \$20,000,000. Initially, 450 buildings were constructed and equipped. The school grew so rapidly under the pressure of war that even this number proved inadequate. For instructional purposes alone, more than 50 buildings were sited and equipped. One large area was constructed for housing enlisted students. Another area housed enlisted instructors. A third area was for student officers and assigned bachelor officers.

After V-J Day enrollment varied, especially during demobilization, but gradually armored requirements became more clearly defined. Established increments



Maj. Gen. Livesay

Further Officer Cuts
Hit USAF Hardest

The Armed Forces, ordered previously to cut total officer strength by 12,073 officers, received orders this week to eliminate from active duty as many as 5,000 additional officers, with the Air Force slated to receive the major brunt of the new economy program.

Hard upon the heels of an Air Force announcement last month that 2,454 non-regular rated officers were to be separated and 1,401 given the option of reverting to non-flying status, the Air Force reported that approximately another 3,000 non-regular officers are to be separated and about 2,500 non-regular rated officers will be permitted to remain on active duty in non-flying status.

The Army, which already has notified about 1,300 non-regular officers that their tours were to be terminated by 31 Dec., will release 2,800 more officers by 31 March. The original Department of Defense officer reduction announcement on 24 Aug. had indicated that a total of 3,387 separations would be made by administrative action before 1 April. Revised figures showed this week that this figure has been hiked to 4,100 officers. Where it had previously been anticipated that some 2,137 officers would be released from active duty by 1 April, this figure has now been boosted to 2,800.

With regard to Navy officer cuts, latest figures show that about 2,600 Reserve and Temporary officers had either been released to inactive duty or reverted to enlisted status from 1 March to 1 Nov.

In addition, the Navy has notified another 950 officers that they will face similar action during the next few months. This means that a total of 3,550 officers are affected by the reduction program.

The Navy had 46,500 officers on active duty in August, and stated previously that for the present fiscal year an average of 45,000 officers would be retained on active duty, with 43,500 to be in service on 1 July 1950.

The disproportionate cut in Air Force officer strength announced this week results presumably from the fact that the Air Force is to have only the 48 groups recommended by the President instead of the 58 approved by Congress.

The exact number of Air Force officers who will be separated will not be known until officers given the option of reverting to non-flying status or being separated make known their choice.

Planning for the \$13,000,000 budget in Fiscal Year 1951 is the apparent cause for the new over-all officer eliminations in the Department of Defense.

DETAILS ON NEW AF CUT

The Air Force, in advising its commands of the reductions, specified that 3,000 non-Regular officers will be separated and approximately 2,500 non-Regular rated officers will be given the option of being converted to permanent non-flying status or of being separated from active duty during the remainder of fiscal year 1950.

The first AF officers affected by this (Please turn to Page 361)

Navy-Marine Corps Boards

One Navy selection board was convened this week, and three Marine Corps boards were set up for early next year.

The Navy board, to recommend line officers for promotion to lieutenant, met at the Navy Department on 28 Nov. It will consider male lieutenants (jg), Regular Navy and Naval Reserve, who will have two years' service in grade on 30 June 1950, and women officers of the Regular Navy who will have three years' service in grade on the same date. Officers serving in appointments of limited duration, the Navy said, are ineligible. The promotion zone for male line officers, including engineering, aeronautical engineering and special duty categories, terminates (Please turn to Back Page)

Effort to Reneg On
Family Care Opposed

Congressional opposition to the Bureau of the Budget proposal for elimination of medical care for Service dependents continued to grow this week as the Department of Defense's recommendations to the Bureau were further delayed, presumably because of Secretary Louis Johnson's trip to Europe.

It is recalled that the Personnel Policy Board has gone on record as opposing elimination of dependent care on the grounds that it would be a serious blow at morale. The matter then was referred to the Department of Defense Management Committee, headed by General Joseph T. McNarney, USAF. This committee has been charged with surveying defense operations in order to achieve economies.

What General McNarney and his associates have decided concerning the problem of dependent care and the conclusion of the Office of Medical Services, headed by Dr. Richard Meiling, a brigadier general in the Air Force Reserve, will not be made public until the Bureau of the Budget has received a response from Secretary Johnson, Defense officials said this week.

Meantime, another ranking military official went on public record this week in support of continued and even expanded medical care for dependents.

Lt. Gen. George H. Brett, USAF-Ret., commenting on dependent care, emphasized that personnel at many Air Force bases have been without medical care for dependents for a year or more.

To the contention that the Career Compensation Act should be followed by the cut in dependent care, General Brett said: "The increase in pay helped but it does not nearly cover the privileges that an officer or enlisted man enjoyed in the old Army. We enjoyed a commissary and post exchange where prices were cheaper than in town. We had medical attention. We did not have to own an auto as we worked."

And from Capitol Hill, there was increased opposition to the move which would deprive military personnel of dependent care, as Representative Melvin Price (D. Ill.), in response to an inquiry

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Urge Housing in '50
Legislative Program

The need for additional housing for Service personnel is stressed in the Department of Defense's legislative program for 1950.

The program, which Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson has sent to the Bureau of the Budget for approval before submitting to Congress in January, contains a number of provisions concerning Service housing.

For one thing, Secretary Johnson emphasizes the necessity of enacting the housing and construction bill which was sent up in the first session and which was not passed. Items pertaining to Okinawa and Alaska were lifted from the bill and enacted separately. The rest of the items should be enacted, Secretary Johnson says.

In addition to this, Secretary Johnson told the President that it will be necessary to recommend legislation authorizing the construction of public works and housing in addition to the pending authorizations. The extent and nature of these items, he said, cannot yet be determined as the screening of the proposed projects has not been completed.

The third housing phase is contained in a proposed bill Mr. Johnson would like to submit which would authorize the services to acquire by lease, for periods up to 35 years, lands, buildings and facilities suitable for use as family quarters for military personnel. All leases would include the option of the Government to purchase the property at any time.

The bill would provide that the total expenditure for this purpose in any month would not exceed an amount equal to the quarters' allowance of all personnel assigned to such housing, and in no event would the monthly payments for such leases exceed \$1,000,000 per month. The amount of rent to be paid on the lease would be further limited to 65 per cent of the basic rental allowance of personnel quartered in the buildings.

The purpose of this limitation is to insure that total expenditures for rent, utilities, maintenance, operation, taxes, or payments in lieu of taxes, do not exceed the total authorized allowances for quarters.

Through this bill the military departments would be enabled to secure a considerable number of residential units for assignment to personnel, without any additional cost to the Government. The projects would be financed through funds that would otherwise be paid in communication of quarters.

Assuming that the average rental per family unit would be \$65 per month, and that \$35 would cover the proportionate cost of utilities and other charges each month, the proposed new bill, if it becomes a law, would provide the means of making available some 10,000 sets of quarters, at little or no additional cost to the Government.

It is quite probable that this measure, if it becomes a law, would provide an attractive investment opportunity for private capital, which otherwise might

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The Editors View the News

Indianapolis Star—"The only language understood by Red Fascists in China or anywhere else is the language of force. It's time to talk to them in that language. Act now, Mr. President, and rid the world of the notion that cowardice has become a ruling force in America!"

Rocky Mountain News—"President Truman ought to have his own man in the Far East. The information he gets from that part of the world is filtered to him through the State Department's Office of Far Eastern Affairs, which is notorious for its pro-communist sym-

pathies. General Douglas MacArthur could furnish the White House reliable information from his listening post in Tokyo. But apparently the general isn't being consulted."

El Paso Times—"We would be foolish indeed not to realize the vital importance of Alaska in the event of a war with Soviet Russia. We know of no potential enemy strong enough to seize any of the coastline of the United States proper. We must admit sadly that such is not the case in Alaska."

Dayton Daily News—"The Russians want the rest of the world to throw away their atomic weapons in

exchange for an international control so loose that it could not possibly serve as a check against illegal atomic armament by a nation unwilling to grant full and effective inspection."

Indianapolis News—"The nation's military might is being kicked around by three teams—Congress, the executive branch and the services—when there should be but one, smoothly functioning team, truly representing all three elements. Unification is not working, and will not, until each bloc better understands the others' viewpoint."

Nat. Gd. Berates Air Force

Maj. Gen. E. A. Walsh, President of the National Guard Association of the United States, released this week what he called a "bill of particulars" against the U. S. Air Force, charging it with failure to make the Air National Guard available for immediate defense of the Nation, and with failure to provide an adequate training program for the Air National Guard.

The occasion was a meeting of the Air Section 5 Committee on National Guard Policy—a committee of Regular Air Force and Air National Guard officers, established under Section 5 of the National Defense Act to originate policies and regulations affecting the organization, distribution and training of the National Guard. A similar committee performs the same functions for Army units of the National Guard.

Seeks Good Relations

General Walsh assured the Committee that "the States and the National Guard are extremely desirous of establishing splendid relations with the Department of the Air Force and comparable to those now existing between them and the Department of the Army, and to that end are willing to meet the Department of the Air Force more than half way."

However, his 10,000-word formal presentation was directed largely to allegations that there exists "a feeling that the Department of the Air Force does not want the Air National Guard and would just as leave eliminate it if it cannot obtain control of it."

Declaring that complete accord can be achieved only if there is "a precise knowledge of the matters involved," General Walsh said that "it is with no spirit of animosity" that he leveled his charges, "but rather to bring into the open the matters at issue." In conclusion General Walsh said:

"In this presentation, I have touched upon many matters, nearly all of which are vexatious and highly controversial, and yet I can see no good reason why they should have arisen. Good relations between the Department of the Air Force, the States and the National Guard would resolve amicably most of these matters. Certain it is, the problems and differences which plague us will never be resolved until the relations between the Department of the Air Force, the States, and the National Guard are materially improved. Irrespective of anything that has transpired in the past, I can assure this Committee that the States and the National Guard are extremely desirous of establishing splendid relations with the Department of the Air Force and comparable to those now existing between them and the Department of the Army, and to that end are willing to meet the Department of the Air Force more than half way."

If complete accord is to be achieved where the Department of the Air Force, the States, and the National Guard are concerned, there must be a precise knowledge of the matters involved for, furthermore, they cannot be resolved unless they are known. It is with no spirit of animosity, therefore, that I recite the following bill of particulars but rather to bring into the open the matters at issue. The National Guard contends that the Department of the Air Force has made no effort whatsoever to date in connection with a matter that is of primary importance, namely, to make the Air National Guard available for the immediate defense of the Nation but instead has thwarted the efforts of the States and National Guard to do so. Under Section 101 of the National Defense Act, the Militia, in this instance the National Guard, could be mobilized immediately by the Governors of the several States and Territories for the defense of the States and Territories. Under Section 111 of the National Defense Act, the Air National Guard could not legally be ordered into the active military service of the United States unless Congress was in session or until Congress had been convened and declared an emergency to exist. A simple amendment to Section 101 of the National Defense Act would make it possible for the Air National Guard to be immediately avail-

able for the defense of the Nation in the event of an emergency. The Governors of the several States and Territories could alert their units for the defense of those States and Territories, and thus also be available for the immediate defense of the Nation. Yet, to date no effort has been made on the part of the responsible Federal authorities to make the Air National Guard available.

Surrender Power

"As a matter of fact, quite the reverse is true. The States and the National Guard, whether rightly or wrongly, have drawn the conclusion that the Department of the Air Force would prefer to amend Section 111 of the National Defense Act so that the Air National Guard could be ordered into the active military service of the United States without the Congress being in session and without declaring an emergency. If this be so, then it is 'ishful thinking for it should be clear to all that the Congress will never surrender its war-making powers to another agency of the Federal Government, and it is utterly unthinkable that the Congress would do so. Certain it is too, that the people of the United States would never countenance any such surrender of power to the Executive Branch of the Government by the Congress."

"Tried and competent leaders of the Air National Guard contend that the Department of the Air Force has failed to provide a training program for the Air National Guard except in the case of certain requirements for individual proficiency by air crews with which to accomplish 'M-Day Assignments,' notwithstanding the fact that the Air National Guard has been in existence for more than three years with 514 units organized and Federally recognized and contained in Wings, Groups, and Squadrons, and notwithstanding the further fact that the Constitution of the United States makes mandatory that the discipline or training of the Militia, including the Air National Guard, shall be prescribed by the Federal Government or an agency thereof. To date the Department of the Air Force has given the Air National Guard Commanders no indication of how each unit would be specifically employed on 'M-Day' in the event of a sudden emergency. In other words, the Air National Guard Unit Commander has only the vaguest idea as to what his specific mission would be in the event of a sudden attack on the United States. Furthermore, the Department of the Air Force has made no attempt to standardize tactical procedures or to prescribe tactical doctrine for Air National Guard Units between Wings or between Groups within the same Wing, or within Squadrons in the same Group. This is indeed an amazing state of affairs. These Gentlemen, constitute the Bill of particulars to which I alluded earlier."

Anti-Sub Warfare Meeting

Approximately 300 Naval officers and civilians met in Washington, D. C., this week for the fourth anti-submarine warfare conference to be held since the end of the war.

Those attending the conference included about 200 Naval officers, representing all the Fleet commands and offices concerned with undersea warfare, and approximately 100 civilian scientists. The purpose of the conference, the Navy said, was to stimulate the free interchange of thought on anti-submarine warfare problems, thus encouraging the development of new and constructive ideas, and to bring all those concerned up-to-date on the status of the anti-submarine warfare effort, both in the Fleet and ashore.

Rear Adm. C. B. Momsen, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations for Underseas Warfare, was chairman of the conference. Meetings, closed to the public, were held in the Department of the Interior Auditorium.

Colonel Melberg Retires

Veteran of 34 years of Army service, Col. Reinold Melberg, assigned with the Inspector General's section of Headquarters Sixth Army at the Presidio of San Francisco, retired 30 Nov.

He graduated from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point in June 1915.

New Atomic Tests

Under "full security restrictions," the Atomic Energy Commission and Department of Defense will conduct a new series of tests with "atomic weapons" at the AEC's Proving Ground at Eniwetok Atoll in the Marshall Islands.

Named to command Joint Task Force 3, which will conduct the tests, was Lt. Gen. Elwood R. Quesada, USAF. His designation marks a complete Service rotation in the command of postwar atomic tests. Admiral W. H. P. Blandy, USN, was in command of the tests at Bikini Atoll in June and July 1946, while Lt. Gen. John E. Hull, USA, directed the previous atomic field experiments at Eniwetok. General Hull presently is commanding general of the Weapon Systems Evaluation Group.

Announcement of the forthcoming tests followed by one day an important AEC public statement which told of plans for a device to "breed" atomic materials. It was stated that the reactor, if successful, could create in its furnace more plutonium—the material used in the atom bomb—than it consumed. Dr. Lawrence R. Hafstad, director of reactor development for the AEC, hailed the development as the "biggest stride in peacetime application" of atomic energy.

The reactor, to cost about \$3,500,000, is to be built near Arco, Idaho, with design work and construction of the "core" of the machine being accomplished at the AEC's Argonne National Laboratory at Chicago.

Successful operation of the reactor would help solve the problem of obtaining sufficient atomic fuels for nuclear energy operations, it was reported.

Meantime, at a press conference this week, Chairman David Lilienthal, retiring AEC chairman, stressed again the fact that the data concerning atomic weapons development is "about the most highly classified and closely held information for which the Commission is responsible." He told reporters that he knew of "no declassification of anything qualitative or quantitative about weapons."

This discussion developed as reporters sought information concerning a statement made on a television broadcast by Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.), who declared that this country has an atomic bomb six times more powerful than the one used against Nagasaki. Senator Johnson has insisted that his remarks violated no security rules. However, it was noted in Washington that the President subsequently instructed the Department of Justice to sharpen its procedures against disclosures of atomic secrets.

For the tests at Eniwetok, General Quesada, who recently has been on an inspection trip in the Pacific, will have Brig. Gen. John K. Gerhart, USAF, as Chief of Staff. Deputy commanders will be Brig. Gen. Herbert Loper, USA; Rear Adm. Tom B. Hill, USN; and Dr. Alvin C. Graves of the Los Alamos, N. Mex., Scientific Laboratory.

All details concerning the tests—even the time that they are to be conducted—are cloaked in secrecy. There is speculation, however, that the tests will be held during the early part of 1950.

Prior to a recent assignment with the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General Quesada was in charge of all Air Force civilian component activities. During World War II, he was commanding general of the Ninth Air Force Fighter Command. Subsequent to the war, he also was assistant chief of staff for intelligence at USAF headquarters and later was in command of the Tactical Air Command.

General Gerhart has served as chief of the Air Force statistical control office. General Loper, formerly chief engineer

in the Pacific has been chief of the intelligence and photographic sections attached to the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Former Pacific Fleet gunnery officer under Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Admiral Hill commanded the USS Missouri after the war, was deputy director of atomic defense in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations and subsequently was named as the Navy's director of atomic energy with additional duty on the military liaison committee of the AEC. Admiral Hill is also deputy chief of the Armed Forces special weapons project.

Navy Housing Survey

A recent service-wide survey of family housing conducted by the Bureau of Naval Personnel shows that housing conditions are still acute in the vicinity of most of the large naval establishments.

Even in areas where there has been a general improvement in the local private housing situation, there has been little increase in availability of satisfactory rental housing at prices within the means of enlisted personnel, the Navy said.

At least four factors have served to offset the gains which might have been expected from new construction, the Navy pointed out. These are:

- (1) The large amount of temporary housing built and occupied during the war.
- (2) The large amount of sub-standard housing which has been retained during the shortage but now must be replaced.
- (3) The number of families that have been doubling up during the shortage.
- (4) High building costs.

Construction authorized under the Wherry Bill (Public Law 211—81st Congress) "will go a long way toward alleviating the housing shortage for service personnel," a Navy spokesman said. He told the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL that the Navy Department is pressing this program and it is expected that actual construction will commence in the spring of 1950.

The Navy plans to utilize Wherry housing on, or in the vicinity of, all large naval installations for which the required certification of permanency can be made. The number of units to be constructed in each locality will depend on an estimate of the continuing long-range demand for this housing.

Inactive Duty Training Pay

In reply to a question from the Chief of Finance of the Army as to whether payment of inactive duty training pay is "authorized to be made to members of the Organized Reserve Corps (1) in cases where only one individual is assigned to the unit, and (2) in cases where only one individual of the unit is present at a regularly scheduled authorized pay assembly of a unit with more than one member assigned thereto," the Comptroller General has ruled in decision B-85693 that:

"The question will be considered as primarily for determination in accordance with the applicable administrative regulations. And since nothing is found in the current regulations which would prohibit payment to enlisted personnel in cases of the type here involved, payment of such personnel is authorized in such cases in the absence of other objection. The same rule presently is applicable to officers except that in a case where a unit has more than one member assigned thereto, the requirement of the applicable regulations (paragraph 9, Circular No. 201, Department of the Army, July 7, 1948) with respect to percentage of attendance must be met before an officer is entitled to pay for his attendance at a training assembly."

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New Signal Corps Training Center

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PREPARED to teach the repair of radioactivity detection instruments have been completed at the new Signal Corps Training Center in Georgia, opened a year ago to keep pace not only with Army expansion, but with new technical developments, also.

When the expansion began, the Army considered the capacity load already being carried by The Signal School at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and looked southward to establish other training facilities.

Newly re-activated Camp Gordon, near Augusta, Ga., was selected as the site, and on 1 October 1948, the first commanding officer, Colonel Harry Reichelderfer, now Brigadier General commanding the Signal Corps Engineering Laboratories at Fort Monmouth, arrived with a small staff and organized a headquarters. His mission was to establish The Southeastern Signal Corps School, to operate with a capacity of 4,000 students, and The Unit Training Group, designed to train Signal battalions and companies as general reserve units.

Considerable work was to be done on the physical structure of the plant before the school could begin to function, but in a remarkably short time rehabilitation of classroom buildings and barracks was far enough along to start operations. On 1 November 1948, the first contingent of students reported to begin schooling in courses varying in length from nine to 31 weeks, in technical subjects including radio operation, radio repair, teletypewriter operation, cryptography, power equipment maintenance, cable splicing, pole line construction, and message center procedure. By 1 November 1949, more than 2,850 students had been graduated, the majority from 31-week courses.

Students come principally from basic training, but many are detailed from organic units. Some Marine enlisted men have attended, plus a good many National Guardsmen and a sprinkling of foreign military personnel. The incoming student is assigned to the Signal Training Regiment, a rather sizable unit of five battalions, with 23 student and three instructor companies. The regiment looks after the physical wants and the welfare of the students, thereby permitting staff and faculty of The Southeastern Signal School to concentrate exclusively on education. The school is utilizing the most progressive instruction techniques, including the use of still photography as an aid to visual education. The center has its own Training Aids Branch. It has constructed aids of almost every description to assist the students in acquiring the necessary knowledge and skill in the most thorough manner within the shortest time.

Courses are undergoing continuous modification and revision to keep abreast of developments. Recently a 102-hour sub course in the repair and maintenance of radioactivity detection instruments was prepared, to be taught in connection with the radio repair course.

The Unit Training Group has a number of organizations in training as teams, detachments, and companies, as well as the 24th Signal Service Battalion. The Camp Gordon reservation is an unusually satisfactory area for the tactical training which the units are taking along with their technical work.

The City of Augusta has cooperated in alleviating a once serious housing shortage and Camp Gordon Headquarters has provided the necessary services and recreational facilities to make life interesting and comfortable for the Signal Corps as well as the Military Police School, which was moved to Camp Gordon about the same time the Signal Training Center was activated.

Looking back over the twelve months of its existence, the Signal Corps Training Center feels that it has made an enviable record, which can be chiefly attributed to the spirit of enthusiasm evidenced by staff, faculty, and students. This spirit, plus the unstinting assistance and guidance of Brigadier General Truman C. Thorson, Commanding General of Camp Gordon, and his staff, has been

responsible for the remarkable achievements of the Signal Corps Training Center.

Adm. Sherman Views the Future

Admiral Forrest P. Sherman, Chief of Naval Operations, outlined a plan last night by which the Navy can insure a continued "vital part in the national defense structure."

Speaking to the first class at the U. S. Naval Academy, Admiral Sherman said the Navy can continue its present "vital" role by demonstrating not only its individual importance, but also "its ability to work with the sister Services as an integrated team."

As for the current and projected reduction in Navy strength, he said, "We are still in the process of contracting a wartime Navy to one consistent with the national economy, and the nation's peacetime requirements." When this is completed, Admiral Sherman said, "the contraction will give us a Navy very much larger and more diversified in its functions than this country has ever before possessed in peacetime."

Admiral Sherman, making his first address since assuming the top Navy post, told the Midshipmen that they "are in many ways better fitted to view the future of the United States Navy with complete objectivity than are older officers in mid-career, or nearing the end of their service."

He said the Midshipmen were "certainly less marked by events of recent years which tend to obscure the broad view of the future—and also of the past from which the future must be appraised."

At the end of nearly every war, Admiral Sherman declared, the Navy has suffered cutbacks which have brought on "recurring gloomy prophecies that the Navy itself will become obsolete." He said, however, that "as far ahead as we can see, the airplane and the submarine, and for that matter, guided missiles and atomic energy, which have been claimed to mark the end of great navies will, in fact, increase naval requirements and result not only in survival, but also further development of fighting ships."

The Chief of Naval Operations said that at the end of World War II the Navy had "more of every useful type of ship and aircraft than could possibly be kept active." These, he said, have been "carefully mothballed," giving the Navy a reserve fleet "so large that there is some question as to our ability to maintain it without expenditures which will prevent maintaining an adequate active fleet."

Admiral Sherman also pointed out that the Navy shore establishment is "so large that it absorbs funds needed to maintain combat forces in being."

Discussing the future of the Navy, Admiral Sherman reminded the Midshipmen that the Naval Academy "is not able of itself to meet all the officer needs of the naval establishment." He offered the "Navy of the future" to them in terms of "opportunity unlimited."

Declaring his "belief in the future of the Navy," Admiral Sherman emphasized that it "is shared by everyone who objectively ponders the security of the United States." He warned the Midshipmen not to be "misled by the moaning of the perennial pessimists nor the partisan propaganda of proponents of other programs."

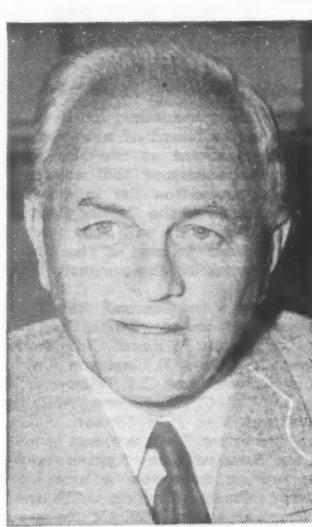
The conflicting views of the Services "are to be expected," he said. But once "our beliefs and professional advice have been adequately presented—on any level of command or responsibility—it is then our duty to carry out the decision of our superiors without equivocation or evasion."

Admiral Sherman added that this is "particularly necessary in the case of decisions by the civil authority in whom the ultimate responsibility rests."

Concerning submarine and anti-submarine development, Admiral Sherman revealed that "another power" has a "larger" submarine force than our own, and that "our naval counter measures against both the submarine and the aircraft must include striking them at their bases as well as local defense against them."

Although the Navy of the future will be built around fast carrier and amphibious task forces, he said, "you may ex-

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rather have an assignment accomplished, "even if only 90 or 97 per cent complete," than delay action, possibly for weeks, until minute details can be worked out. What is desired, he related, is an acceleration in meeting the critical demands entrusted to the Munitions Board.

But this will not mean, Chairman Howard forcefully maintains, that he will support the thesis that the Munitions Board should be some kind of "super body" dictating to the Services. Although speed is desired, there will be no arbitrary decisions. Instead, says Chairman Howard, just as was the case with the Personnel Policy Board, the aim will be to bring varying viewpoints together by means of "salesmanship, education and cooperation." The board will always want to know "how we can be most helpful to the Services," Mr. Howard adds.

Under provisions of the new charter, however, should there be on occasion a situation where the three Services cannot reach agreement on a particular issue, Chairman Howard is given the authority to make the decision. Members of the board may appeal this decision to the Secretary of Defense through their respective Department Secretary. A similar revision of the Personnel Policy Board gave its chairman identical authority. But Mr. Howard stresses that the necessity to make such a decision without achieving agreement among the Services is rare. When there are disputes, he says, inter-Service education invariably brings compromise agreement.

In company with Maj. Gen. Patrick W. Timberlake, USAF, who has succeeded Lt. Gen. LeRoy Lutes, USA, as staff director of the board, and with other key affiliates, Mr. Howard this week himself began an energetic "education program."

Characteristic of Mr. Howard's determination to speed the comprehensive work of the board in formulating industrial and logistical plans, programs and policies, with guidance from the Joint Chiefs of Staff, was the manner in which the new Chairman took office this week.

With both the President and Secretary Johnson away from Washington and anxious to begin his task at the earliest possible moment, Mr. Howard, obtaining the approval of Acting Secretary of Defense Stephen T. Early, dispensed entirely with the usual oath-taking formalities.

Finding Assistant Secretary of Defense Marx Leva momentarily free of desk work and official conferences, Mr. Howard asked that he be given the oath at that moment. Department of Defense workers served as official witnesses and the ceremony was completed in a matter of moments.

Then, Chairman Howard, without benefit of usual "fanfare or ruffles," simply took his hat off of the rack in his Personnel Policy Board office and walked through the Pentagon halls to his new office.

In essence, Chairman Howard explains, the fundamental nature of the two top-level Department of Defense posts is strikingly similar. Just as in his position as Chairman of the Personnel Policy Board, he was concerned with the problems of job classification, standardization and development of unified policies and practices among the Services, so in his new assignment, the former executive of the Binkley Coal Company and Pyramid Coal Corporation of Chicago, will direct the Munition Board's program of classifying requirements, cataloguing facilities and preparing "unified" industrial and logistical plans.

As Chairman Howard relates: "On the one hand, the Personnel Policy Board is concerned with personnel; we shall be primarily concerned with materiel. The operations of the two boards have much in common and my previous duties with the Personnel Policy Board will be of great importance in my new position." Meeting officially with board members for the first time on Thursday, Chairman Howard told Under Secretary of the Air Force Arthur S. Barrows, who had been serving as acting chairman since Mr. Carpenter's resignation, Under Secretary of the Navy John T. Koehler and Assistant Secretary of the Army Archibald S. Alexander, that "time is of the essence. We must not waste any time in fulfilling our important responsibilities," Chairman Howard emphasized. He said he would

Three Admirals Shifted

Three Navy flag officers, Rear Admirals James H. Foskett, Milton E. Miles, and Allen E. Smith, have been ordered to new duty stations.

Admiral Foskett, Commander of Cruiser Division Four, Atlantic Fleet, will become Director of Secretariat and Working Teams of the Standing Group Military Committee, North Atlantic Treaty Organization, Washington, D. C.

Admiral Miles, who has been serving as Commander, Cruiser Division Six, Atlantic Fleet, will relieve Admiral Foskett of his present command.

Admiral Smith, currently serving as Commander, Cruiser Force, Atlantic Fleet, will assume command of Cruiser Division Six as additional duty.

WAC Officer Promotions

Members of a board convened to consider Women's Army Corps officers for permanent and temporary promotion to grades of lieutenant colonel, major and captain were announced this week by the Army.

Brig. Gen. Andrew C. Tychson is president of the board. Other members include Col. E. DeTreville Ellis, Col. James M. Roamer, Col. Harold C. Fellows and Col. Stewart Yeo. Col. Mary A. Hallaren is alternate member of the board. Lt. Col. C. W. Nelson and Maj. William G. M. Edwards are serving the board as recorders, without vote.

Consideration for promotion to lieutenant colonel in the WAC will be given all permanent majors of the Corps promotion list in order of permanent seniority who complete 16 or more years' service for promotion purposes prior to 13 Sept. 1949. Consideration for promotion to temporary lieutenant colonel will be given all permanent majors of the WAC promotion list in order of permanent seniority who complete 16 or more years' service for promotion purposes prior to 13 Sept. 1949, and all non-regular majors of the WAC in order of temporary dates of rank who have a date of rank of 28 Feb. 1947 or before.

Consideration for promotion to permanent major will be given all permanent captains of the WAC promotion list in order of permanent seniority who complete ten or more years of service for promotion purposes prior to 13 Sept. 1949; for promotion to temporary major, all permanent captains of the WAC promotion list who complete 13 or more years' service for promotion purposes prior to 13 Sept. 1949, and all non-regular captains in order of temporary dates of rank whose rank dates from April, 1946 or before.

Criteria for promotion to permanent captain state that consideration will be given all permanent first lieutenants of the WAC promotion list in order of permanent seniority who complete five or more years' service for promotion purposes prior to 13 Sept. 1949; for temporary captain, all permanent first lieutenants of the WAC promotion list who complete six and a half or more years' service for promotion purposes prior to 13 Sept. 1949 and all non-regular first lieutenants of the WAC promotion list in order of temporary dates of rank whose rank dates from June, 1945 or before.

Officers being considered for permanent promotion who fail to be selected will not be considered as deferred.

Col. James W. Ross Retires

Col. James W. Ross, Adjutant General of the Antiaircraft Artillery and Guided Missile Center at Fort Bliss, Tex., since Feb., this week retired from the Army after more than 35 years' service.

Colonel and Mrs. Ross plan to make their home in San Francisco.

UNITED STATES ARMY

Army W.O. Board Meets

Under the presidency of Brig. Gen. Miles Reber, a board of nine Army officers has convened at the Pentagon to arrange the names of 7635 warrant officers on a promotion list in accordance with provisions of the Career Compensation Act. The board will also place each warrant officer in one of the four pay grades created by the recently enacted legislation.

In addition to General Reber, other members with votes are Col. Fred C. Miller, Col. Frank F. Reed, Col. Morris B. DePass, Col. Lloyd R. Garrison, Col. Gaylord B. Kidwell and Col. Wilmer G. Bennett. Lt. Col. C. W. Nelson, AGD, is recorder and Maj. Roy Glisson, AGD, assistant recorder, both without vote.

Latest detailed Army figures show that there are on duty now a total of 4175 warrant officers of which, AUS are 2246 and Regular Army, 1929. Of the group of Regular Army warrant officers, 12 are on duty with the Air Force and 17 AUS warrant officers are on duty with the Air Force. The total figure of 7635 includes warrant officers serving on extended active duty as officers, who will also be placed in the four pay grades by the board.

Subsequent to the compilation of the above figures, the total number of Army warrant officers, Regular and AUS on duty in that rank has risen to 4210.

Named to Insurance Post

J. D. Marsh and Associates, Lincoln National Life Insurance Agency in Washington, D. C., announces the appointment of Col. H. L. McGrath, USA-Ret., as an associate.

Colonel McGrath volunteered for service after Pearl Harbor in 1941 and was commissioned a major in the Army in 1942. He made assault landings in North Africa, Sicily, Italy and Southern France and was a Staff Officer in the Allied Force Headquarters in Algiers. After the war he served in various capacities including the duties of Military Attaché, Copenhagen, Denmark; Damascus, Syria, and saw service with Count Bernadotte's United Nations Mediators during the dispute between Israel and the Arab States.

ORC Logistics Assignments

The following Army Reserve officers have been given mobilization assignments to the Logistics Division, General Staff. Maj. W. H. Beattie, Maj. A. M. Benson Maj. E. C. Boyette, Jr. Maj. C. Waldo Shumway Lt. Col. E. H. Ezzes Maj. H. E. Haxo, Jr. Lt. Col. F. F. Groseclose Col. C. H. Monroe Maj. A. H. Wade, Jr. Lt. Col. A. R. Marlow Col. C. Carter Page Col. F. C. Terrell, Jr. Lt. Col. A. G. B. Metcalf Col. C. S. Cobb, Jr. Lt. Col. S. H. Lovering Lt. Col. W. J. Nawrocki Capt. G. B. Conner Lt. Col. M. C. Graham Maj. L. H. Shulman Lt. Col. G. W. Russell Maj. H. E. Sitterly

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The official digest of the decision follows:

"Regular Army officers who are promoted upon completion of the requisite years of service under any of the provisions of the Officer Personnel Act of 1947 are not entitled to the pay and allowances of the higher grade until the date of the formal order announcing the promotion—which date is established generally by the act of 14 Oct 1942, as the effective date for increasing the pay and allowances of Army officers advanced in rank—even though such announcement order may not be issued until after the date of completion of the required service or the acceptance of the promotion."

Gen. Clark Heads Board

Under the presidency of General Mark W. Clark, Chief, Army Field Forces, the Army General Officers' Selection Board met this week at the Pentagon to recommend officers for temporary and permanent promotion to the ranks of major general and brigadier general. Selection will be made to fill vacancies during 1950.

Other members of the selection board are: Lt. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith, Commanding General, First Army; Lt. Gen. LeRoy Lutes, Commanding General, Fourth Army; Lt. Gen. Clarence R. Huebner, Deputy Commander-in-Chief, European Command; Lt. Gen. Manton S. Eddy, Commandant, Command and General Staff College, and Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson, Deputy Commanding General, Sixth Army.

Civilian Students at USMA

Students from civilian colleges this week attended a conference on American affairs at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y.

Among those slated to speak at the four-day parley were Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, commanding general, Sixth Army; Field Marshal Sir William J. Slim, chief of the Imperial General Staff of the British Army and Secretary of the Army Gordon Gray.

Airline Honors Army Col.

Col. David H. Blakelock, Commanding Officer, Camp Stoneman, Calif., last week received a handsomely engraved wall plaque and a gold lapel pin and was awarded membership in one of the nation's most exclusive organizations, the United Air Lines 100,000 Mile Club, for having flown in excess of 100,000 miles.

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I and E Program

Participation in the Army's Troop Information and Education program has doubled during the past year and further increases are anticipated, according to Maj. Gen. Floyd Parks, Army Chief of Information.

General Parks told of modification of the Army Education Program to benefit the career soldier. Educational levels of troops are being raised where necessary to equip soldiers with a knowledge of English and mathematics to aid in the reading of technical or field manuals or to commence a USAFI education course.

It was reported that several commands, including EUCOM, have had as high as a 43 per cent participation in this education program for troops, described as important command asset.

Surveys have demonstrated that no extensive education returns have been secured, however, without the allocation of at least \$2.50 per soldier per year in the United States and \$6.50 for soldiers overseas. "Where education participation has been low," General Parks related, "the program has received insufficient staff direction, or there has been a lack of civilian education advisers, or insufficient funds have been provided for the program."

With regard to shortage of funds, it was stated also that the effectiveness of the I&E Division's "Officers' Call" has been restricted because of a cutback in distribution. Army officials hope to increase the number of copies for distribution purposes.

Phys. Disability Retirements

The Army has published regulations implementing the physical disability separation provisions of the Career Compensation Act.

Dated 7 Nov. 1949, AR 600-450 describes rules for temporary and permanent retirement and explains the 30 per cent disability proviso of the new legislation. Previous issues of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL have described details of the new regulation.

Army Relief Society

Announcement was made at the November meeting of the Board of Managers of the Army Relief Society that Mr. Charles E. Saltzman has kindly consented to serve on the Society's Board of Trustees, of which Maj. Gen. Frank R. McCoy is the Chairman. Mr. Saltzman fills the vacancy left by the death of Mr. Cornelius N. Bliss.

Visit Shoe Plant

Surprise visitors at the formal public opening of the new downtown Chicago plant and general offices of the Florsheim Shoe Company recently were: Col. John N. Gage, QMC; Lt. Col. A. T. Sedgwick, QMC, and Col. Robert A. Howard, Jr., QMC, who congratulated Mr. Harold M. Florsheim, president of the firm, who served as colonel in the Quartermaster Corps during World War II.

Army Mutual Aid

The Army Mutual Aid Association received 34 applications for membership during the past week. No insurance benefits were paid during the week.

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New BuDocks Chief

Rear Adm. Joseph F. Jelley, Jr., Navy Civil Engineer Corps, was sworn in this week as new Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, following his nomination by President Truman.

Admiral Jelley, who had been Deputy Chief of the Bureau since February 1946, attained his present rank on taking office. He succeeded Rear Adm. John J. Manning, CEC, USN, whose term of office expired on 1 Dec.

While serving as Deputy Chief of the Bureau, Admiral Jelley, the Navy said, "played a major role in directing the postwar roll-up of the Navy's huge wartime shore establishment and the construction of permanent peacetime structures."

During World War II, the new Bureau Chief served as Officer-in-Charge of Construction for the Navy Air Bases at Alameda, Calif., and directed the construction of extensive facilities at the U. S. Naval Base, San Pedro, Calif. He was later transferred to Washington as Deputy Director of the Construction Department of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, and, in that assignment, was awarded the Legion of Merit.

Advance Base Div.

In August 1944, he headed the Bureau's Advance Base Division in Chicago where he supervised procurement of equipment and material for the Seabees in building advance bases. In June of the following year he went to Guam as executive officer of the Fifth Naval Construction Brigade. Shortly after the war ended he was named Deputy Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks with the temporary rank of Rear Admiral. He reverted to Captain when the Officer Personnel Act of 1947 eliminated the "spot" rank of Bureau Deputy Chiefs.

Admiral Jelley was born in Phoenixville on 2 Mar., 1904. He attended Cornell University for two years before entering the Naval Academy from which he was graduated in 1927. Later, he took postgraduate engineering study at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the Society of American Military Engineers, Sigma XI, Lambda Chi Alpha, the International Association of Navigation Congresses, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Named Deputy Chief

Following his nomination, Admiral Jelley announced that Capt. Archibald Hunter, CEC, U.S.N., now on duty at Pensacola, Fla., would serve as Deputy Chief of the Bureau. Captain Hunter won recognition for his work at Pearl Harbor during the early months of World War II. On duty at the Bureau of Yards and Docks when the Japs attacked, he was ordered to Hawaii as Assistant Public Works Officer of the 14th Naval District.

Following duty in the Pacific, he served as executive officer of the Naval Construction Training Center at Davisville, R. I., and, in Sept. 1945, was ordered as Officer-in-Charge of the Seventh Construction Brigade (Seabees).

Hospital Command Change

Capt. Clifford G. Hines, MC, USN, has relieved Capt. Benjamin H. Adams, MC, USN, as Medical Officer-in-Command, U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md.

Captain Adams will report to the Potomac River Naval Command, Washington, D. C., for duty as Senior Medical Member of the Physical Evaluation Board.

U. S. NAVY & MARINE CORPS



JOHN F. FLOBERG

Assistant SecNav for Air

President Truman has named John F. Floberg, a Chicago lawyer, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air.

War-time commander of a destroyer escort, Mr. Floberg served in the Navy for approximately four and one-half years. He entered the Navy on 3 Jan. 1942 as an ensign in the Bureau of Ships, requested sea duty two months later, and, after several months of necessary training, went to sea as executive officer of USS SC-770, a 110-foot submarine chaser, when it was commissioned on 1 Jan. 1943.

In March of that year he was promoted to Lieutenant (jg) and shortly thereafter took command of USS SC-770. He later took the ship to the Mediterranean where he commanded the sub-chaser through the last stages of the North African operation, and then through the Sicilian and Salerno operations.

He returned to the United States in December 1943, and, after further training and promotion, returned to sea as gunner officer of the USS Goss, a destroyer escort, in which he served during hunter-killer operations in the Philippines, Iwo Jima and Okinawa operations and in Third Fleet raids on Japan.

On 6 Aug. 1945 he was transferred to the USS Bivin, DE-565, as executive officer. He took command of the destroyer escort two months later and was simultaneously promoted to Lt. Commander. He went on inactive duty 11 June, 1946, to practice law.

Born on 28 Oct. 1915, at Chicago, Assistant Secretary Floberg was educated there at the Loyola Academy and Loyola University. He was graduated from the Harvard Law School in 1939 with the degree of L.L.B. While at Harvard he was a member of the editorial staff of the *Harvard Law Review* 1937-38 and 1938-39.

Following graduation he became associated with the Chicago law firm of Kirkland, Fleming, Green, Martin and Ellis, where he has been doing work, except for the war years, in the fields of corporate problems and trade regulations, as well as extensive litigation involving those problems. The new Assistant Secretary is a member of American, Illinois and Chicago Bar Associations.

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Marine Generals Meet

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Reports on general policy matters dealing with budgetary limitations, training, personnel, promotion, retirement, administration, and developments in amphibious and aerial warfare, were discussed.

Besides General Clifton B. Cates, Marine Corps Commandant, general officers attending the conference included Lieut. Gen. LeRoy P. Hunt, commanding general, Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, and Lieut. Gen. Thomas E. Watson, commanding Fleet Marine Force, Pacific.

Maj. Generals William T. Clement, Graves B. Erskine, Field Harris, Franklin A. Hart, William P. T. Hill, Samuel L. Howard, Alfred H. Noble, Ray A. Robinson, Keller E. Rockey, Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., Merwin H. Silverthorn, Oliver P. Smith, John T. Walker, William J. Wallace and Louis E. Woods.

Brig. Generals Andrew E. Creesy, John Halla, Clayton Jerome, Henry D. Linscott, Vernon E. McGee, Edwin A. Pollock, Gerald C. Thomas and Walter W. Wensinger.

Colonel Katherine A. Towle, Director of Women Marines, spoke before the conference on training and assignment policies of women Marines.

30 B-17s to Navy

Thirty B-17 Flying Fortresses, excess to Air Force requirement are being transferred to the Navy for continuing research and development of AEW (Airborne Early Warning) equipment.

The planes, formerly used by the Strategic Air Command as reconnaissance aircraft, will be utilized as a source of spare parts for the two Navy AEW squadrons now using B-17s. One, an experimental squadron, VX-4, based at the Naval Air Station, Patuxent River, Md., is engaged in research and development of airborne electronic equipment. The other, an operational squadron, VP-51, is based at the Naval Air Station, Miramar, Calif. Detachments of this squadron, in addition to their regular training duties, are engaged in weather reconnaissance in the Pacific Area.

The primary responsibility for coordinating a program of research and development for AEW electronic equipment was assigned to the Navy by the Department of Defense Research and Development Board on 30 Sept. 1949.

West Coast Champion

The Marine football team at Camp Pendleton, Calif., won over Destroyers Pacific, last week, to become West Coast Grid Champions, and contenders for the All-Navy crown at the big East-West service game to be played in Los Angeles Coliseum later this month.

Camp Pendleton, augmented with players from the Marine Corps Recruit Depot team, at San Diego, was selected to represent the West Coast shore stations in the group play-offs after finishing their league season in a tie with the Recruit Depot. The Pendleton Marines gained the majority and tie-breaking vote from other league members, and won the title match by a score of 32-14, over DesPac, representing the Fleet.

Prior to the game, Maj. Gen. W. T. Clement, Commanding General of the Recruit Depot, sent a message to Maj. Gen. Graves B. Erskine, Commanding General of the 1st Marine Division and Marine Barracks at Camp Pendleton, that, in spite of MCRDep's "keen disappointment" at not being voted the championship, this command wishes to advise you that first, last and always and from top to bottom, we are Marines, and as such are with you all the way—win, lose, or draw."

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E B Bigelow	J T Whitaker
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1st MAW	
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J P Coffey	1st MCRD
A L Bushlow	5th MCRD
A C Cochran, Jr.	CRD
F V LaBarber	W C Robinson
E B Brown	NERD
M B Shansby	A J Kopack
A C Dillon	MCDS, Oahu, TH
	USS Mississippi

Marine Squadrons Disband

Reduction of the Marine Corps' fighter squadrons from 23 to 16, got under way this week with the decommissioning of VMF-322, based at Cherry Point, N. C., and VMF-254, based at El Toro, Calif.

The squadrons which remain to be decommissioned include two others at the El Toro base, two at Cherry Point, and one now serving aboard a Navy carrier.

VMF-354, at Cherry Point, will be decommissioned on 15 Dec., followed by the decommissioning of VMF-222, there, on 30 Dec. VMF-461, now based aboard the USS Leyte with Marine Air Group 11, will be disbanded on 28 Feb. 1950.

The names of the two remaining West Coast squadrons were not available.

USNA Shore Patrol Officer

Lt. Donald H. Lane, USN, has reported for duty as Shore Patrol Officer at the U. S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md. He relieves Lt. John F. Duffell, USN, who has been returned to inactive duty.

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Special Weapons Command

The Air Force on 1 Dec. changed the designation of the Field Office for Atomic Energy located at Kirtland AFB, Albuquerque, N. M., to the Air Force Special Weapons Command.

The new organization will assume command status and will be responsible for the service and development testing, within the field of Air Force interest and responsibility, of equipment and techniques relating to atomic energy. The majority of personnel and facilities now at Kirtland AFB will be included in this change.

No transfers of personnel, either military or civilian, to or from Kirtland AFB, will result from the changed designation of the unit. Existing facilities will be used by the new organization.

Commanding General of the Special Weapons Center will be Brig. Gen. Howard G. Bunker, now CG of the Field Office for Atomic Energy.

Airman Career Fields

The Air Force this week released details concerning seven more career fields, as follows:

Rocket Propulsion—AFL 35-444.
Rescue and Survival—AFL 35-492.
Missile Guidance Systems—AFL 35-431.
Communications Operations—AFL 35-429.
Radio and Radar Maintenance—AFL 35-430.

Intelligence—AFL 35-420.

Management Methods—AFL 35-480.

The letters introduce and describe warrant officer and airman jobs in the respective career fields.

Debut for Douglas Plane

The Douglas C-124, capable of carrying 222 passengers, made its maiden flight 27 Nov. at Long Beach, Calif., with William J. Morrisey, test pilot, at the controls.

The new transport, classed as a production model, will be used by the Air Force, which has ordered 30 planes of this type, two and a half times as big as the C-54. The plane has a 173-foot wingspan and is powered by four 3500-horsepower engines.

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U. S. AIR FORCE

Air Surgeon Retires

Maj. Gen. Malcolm C. Grow, Surgeon General of the U. S. Air Force, retired 30 Nov. after more than 31 years of military medical service.

He is being replaced as Surgeon General by Maj. Gen. Harry G. Armstrong, Deputy Surgeon General. Brig. Gen. Dan Clark Ogle, Special Assistant to the Surgeon General, will become Deputy Surgeon General.

General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Chief of Staff, USAF, presented General Grow an oak leaf cluster to the Distinguished Service Medal. He was cited for his exceptionally meritorious service in promoting the study of aero-medicine, pioneering in the development of airborne medical equipment, and initiating plans adopted by all the medical services for future deployment of mobilized medical personnel.

Before accepting a commission in the U. S. Army Medical Reserve Corps in 1917, General Grow had served nearly two years in the Russian Army, receiving three decorations, including the Cross of St. Stanislaus with Crossed Sabres, one of the highest decorations given under the Czar.

General Grow served as surgeon with the 45th Artillery and the 42nd Infantry Division in France during World War I and as surgeon of the Eighth Air Force and later of the U. S. Strategic Air Forces in the European Theater during World War II.

His outstanding contributions to military medicine include establishing the Aero Medical Laboratory, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio, which has developed most of the protective flight clothing now in use. General Grow is credited with much of the development of body armor which saved many lives among combat airmen in World War II, survival kits and first-aid techniques, and a system of passes and leaves which did much to lower the neuropsychiatric rate.

In January 1946 he replaced Maj. Gen. David N. W. Grant as the Air Surgeon and became Surgeon General, USAF, when the U. S. Air Force Medical Service was created on 1 July, 1949.

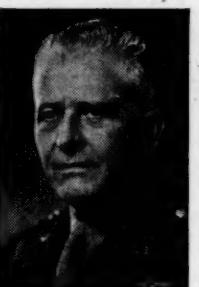
A graduate of Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, he is rated a Flight Surgeon.

The citation accompanying the oak leaf cluster to the D.S.M. awarded to General Grow follows:

"Major General Malcolm C. Grow, 27A, U. S. Air Force, distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious service to the government in a duty of great responsibility from October 1945 to November 1949. As the Air Surgeon General, Army Air Forces, and as the Surgeon General, U. S. Air Force, General Grow was responsible for the development of the aeronautical concept of military medical attendants and contributed largely to the doctrine of service-identified medical components. At the same time, he advanced the new successfully established principle of management and policy control over the medical services of the Department of Defense. General Grow, in addition, promoted the study of aero-medicine in the frigid zone and personally pioneered in the development of airborne medical equipment. His plans for the future deployment of mobilized medical personnel have been adopted by the medical services of the Armed Forces. Major General Grow's achievements as chief medical officer in military aviation add new significance to his career, providing great credit for the Air Force."

Uniform Warning

The Air Force has warned personnel that they may not wear olive drab and gray trenchcoats with the new blue uniform when the weather is clear. Trenchcoats and raincoats worn with the Army type uniform are authorized for wear only in lieu of an Air Force raincoat, now in the process of development. No off-color outer garment is authorized as a substitute for the AF overcoat or AF trenchcoat in clear weather.



Maj. Gen. Grow

General Officer Board

A board to select Air Force officers for permanent and temporary promotions to the rank of brigadier general and major general will meet at the Pentagon on Monday, 5 Dec.

General George C. Kenney is president of the board considering officers for promotion to the rank of major general. Members are General Muir S. Fairchild, Lt. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Lt. Gen. Idwal H. Edwards, Lt. Gen. Curtis E. LeMay and Lt. Col. Harold L. Nadeau, recorder, the latter without vote.

General Fairchild is president of the board to choose officers for promotion to brigadier general. Other members are Generals Twining, Edwards and LeMay, from the major general board, Lt. Gen. Kenneth B. Wolfe and Maj. Gen. Willis H. Hale, with Colonel Nadeau as recorder.

Promotion Selections

It is now estimated that the board which has selected officers for permanent promotion to the ranks of lieutenant colonel, major and captain will make its report public within the next two weeks. Officially, the board has not completed its task, but it is understood that selections have been made and what largely remains to be accomplished is a final check review of the lists.

ConAC Inspector General

Appointment of Brig. Gen. Charles E. Thomas, Jr., as Inspector General of the nation-wide Continental Air Command has been announced. Veteran of 32 years' Air Force service, General Thomas was formerly assigned as Commanding General of the 1503d Air Transport Wing at Tokyo. He succeeds Col. Edgar T. Selzer.

AF Physical Disability

Implementing the new physical disability retirement provisions of the Career Compensation Act, the Air Force this week released AFR 35-49.

The new regulation describes the procedure to be used in retiring personnel for physical disability and describes applicable prerogatives.

Air Tactical School

The January 1950 class at the Air Tactical School, Tyndall AFB, Fla., will include about 85 new, non-rated, regular second lieutenants. These officers will be counseled by members of a Career Guidance Board and will receive equal career opportunities offered the 137 regular second lieutenants graduating from the school on 16 Dec.

Vacancies for AF Recruiters

The Air Force has vacancies for officers in the ranks of first lieutenant through lieutenant colonel for duty with the recruiting service. Applications should be made under provisions of AFL 36-9, 13 Jan. 1949.

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Urges More Air Transport

Maj. Gen. William H. Turner, USAF, deputy commander for operations of the Military Air Transport Service, wartime head of the airlift operation over the "Hump" and commander of the Berlin Airlift, declared this week that the key to adequate air transports in event of war "is in having a large scale commercial air cargo business in the United States as well as a similar air passenger business."

The Air Force's authority on cargo transportation maintained that "when even five per cent of the air transportable cargo of the United States is carried by air, we will have in active daily use thousands of commercial cargo aircraft, whose yearly replacement requirements could sustain an aircraft manufacturing industry and whose existence will insure an adequate force of air transport in being."

Recounting to an "Air Cargo Day" meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Institute of Aeronautical Science and Society of Automotive Engineers in New York City experience gained from the Berlin Airlift, General Turner said "what is needed is a tough, rugged and dependable air vehicle, a 'truck of the air', able to move the ground echelons of air groups, or armored divisions, picking them up at their training groups in the United States and putting them down anywhere in the world they may be needed, fully equipped and ready for action—and then supplying them continuously, efficiently and adequately."

He said that a transport plane should be a conventional four-engine type, capable of laying down 25 tons after a 3000 mile flight or of flying a 5000 mile range with no load.

General Turner called also for ease and simplicity of maintenance, more efficient fuselage design to permit quick loading and unloading, ample cargo doors, temperature control to protect cargoes from heat and cold, better designed cockpits, a ceiling of 20,000 feet and flight characteristics to permit use of 6000 foot runways.

With regard to speed, General Turner maintained that 250 miles per hour seems adequate, "I have no desire to limit the speed to 250 miles per hour," he explained, but added that "the technological science which would go into increased speed could be first better applied in providing a cabin in ample conformation and rugged in structure. High speeds are apt to go hand in hand with reduced cargo capacity," he said.

General Turner was accompanied to New York by the following officers of the MATS Headquarters: Col. Theodore R. Milton, Deputy to General Turner; Col. Clemens K. Wurzbach, Requirements and Development Division; Capt. Edward C. Renfro (USN), Operations Division; Maj. Raymond R. Hajek, Requirements and Development Division; Maj. Edward A. Guilbert, Traffic Division; and Capt. Raymond L. Towne, Public Information Office.

Integrate Negro Airmen

Complete integration of Negro personnel into nearly all units and squadrons at Mitchel AFB, N. Y., was accomplished by 1 Dec., date set by Continental Air Command headquarters for the deactivation of the 224th Aviation Squadron, all-Negro service unit.

Six Negro officers have recently joined Mitchel units, including one WAF. Several Negro officer pilots, reassigned to Mitchel from Lockbourne AFB, Ohio, when that base was deactivated last summer, were transferred to McGuire AFB, N. J., with the 52d All Weather Fighter Wing, formerly based at Mitchel.

Army-Air Force Transfers

Transfers of military personnel between the Department of the Army and Air Force will continue to be authorized for another year.

Department of the Army Circular 107 and Air Force Letter 35-11 issued recently extend authorization for transfers between the two services for 12 months. In general, the transfers are effected when both departments concur.

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Officer Cuts Hit USAF

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second phase cutback will be separated or converted to non-flying status in February. The others will be phased out in monthly increments during the rest of the fiscal year. At the same time, committed officer procurement from flying schools, the service academies, OCS, etc. will be bringing new officers into service resulting in a final year-end strength for the Air Force of the approximately 58,000 officers authorized.

Each of the AF officers affected will be notified at least 60 days prior to separation or conversion to non-flying status. Those officers given the authority to remain on active duty in non-flying status must indicate their intentions within five days after notification. AF officers notified may separate at any time prior to expiration of the 60 days if they so desire.

AF SEPARATION BOARDS

Separation and conversion authority for officers below the rank of Lieutenant Colonel have been delegated to the Commanding Generals of the major Air Force commands and a central selection board of senior Air Force officers will consider the names of Colonels and Lieutenant Colonels only.

Officers relieved from extended active duty by this action will be separated for the convenience of the government and without prejudice to the individuals concerned.

AF officers having permanent status as enlisted men or holding permanent warrants as warrant officers will be permitted to take up their permanent status accordingly. Those not having permanent status as warrant officers or enlisted men but desiring to enlist will have their appropriate airman grades determined by USAF Headquarters.

ARMY REDUCTION FIGURES

The Army announced that approximately 1,300 non-regular officers had already been notified of their separation under the program and that their tours of duty would be terminated by 31 Dec. Further, the Army said that approximately 2,800 additional officers will be released from service by 31 March 1950.

The Army said that in notifying the approximately 1,300 non-regular officers of their separation notification was given at least 90 days in advance of the separation date.

The second phase of the reduction in strength of Army non-regular officers personnel will affect approximately 2,800 additional officers, who will be released from active duty not later than 31 March 1950. These officers will be notified during the latter part of December and receive

notice at least 90 days in advance of separation. Final selection of officers in this category has not been completed.

In all cases, such officers have the option of separating from active duty prior to termination of the 90-day period, the Army said.

Changes for Air Generals

The Air Force announced the retirement of one general officer and the transfer of six others this week.

Brig. Gen. Russell E. Randall, former Air Attaché to Moscow, who has been assigned to USAF Headquarters since last June was retired 30 Nov. He served with the 14th Air Force during the war and is rated a command pilot, Combat Observer, and Aircraft Observer.

Maj. Gen. William E. Hall has been relieved from duty as Director of Intelligence, European Command at Heidelberg, Germany, to become Deputy Director, Legislative and Liaison in the Office of the Secretary of the Air Force.

Brig. Gen. William L. Richardson, Assistant to the Deputy Chief of Staff, Operations, for the Guided Missiles Group in the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Operations, will be transferred to the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Materiel, as Chief of the Joint Long Range Proving Ground Group.

Brig. Gen. Robert C. Oliver, formerly Deputy Commanding General of Ninth Air Force at Langley AFB, Va., has been assigned as Commanding General of the 59th Air Depot Wing, Burtonwood, England.

Brig. Gen. Dale V. Gaffney, formerly Commanding General, 5001st Wing at Ladd AFB, Fairbanks, Alaska, has been assigned as Deputy Commanding General of Air Proving Ground at Eglin AFB, Florida.

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Brig. Gen. Hugo P. Rush, formerly Deputy Commanding General of the 4th Air Force at Hamilton AFB, will become Commanding General of the Western Air Defense Force there.

Brig. Gen. William M. Morgan, Commanding General of the Ogden Air Materiel Area, Hill AFB, Utah, will become Deputy Commanding General of the Western Defense Force at Hamilton AFB.

Air Officers to RAF School

Four Air Force officers will attend the January class of the RAF Staff College at Bracknell, England, and one officer will be enrolled in the May class at the RAF Staff College, Andover, England. Duration of each class is nine months.



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"Our present lack of housing is proving a serious obstacle to our retaining, on a long-term basis the number of trained and qualified officers and airmen we must have to operate an efficient Air Force."—GENERAL MUIR S. FAIRCHILD, USAF.

THE continuance and extension of medical care for dependents of military personnel this week received the advocacy of a distinguished airman. In a public statement Lt. Gen. George H. Brett, USAF-Ret., pointed out that discontinuance of medical attention is already a serious fact at many Air bases, where such care has not been available for months. He estimates conservatively that at such places the costs of civilian medical attention and hospitalization incident to the arrival of a baby in the family of a junior officer or airman amount to at least \$155, a serious drain on a modest salary. As General Brett states, the recent increase in pay helps, but it does not nearly cover the privileges enjoyed in the old Army, of which the personnel have been deprived, or the discontinuance of which is now proposed. The cost of living has advanced as much for Service personnel as for civilians, but the new pay scales, while highly beneficial, are still well below corresponding increases in costs of necessities. It was recently reported that while the average pay of civilian employees of the Government had risen substantially since 1939, this pay increase had failed to keep pace with the cost of living which advanced 69.6 per cent during the same period. The aggregate increase of pay and allowances of military personnel, particularly in commissioned ranks, during that 10-year period has been substantially less than the corresponding rise in living costs. Furthermore, the actual and threatened loss of benefits, including curtailment or elimination of post exchange and commissary privileges, reduction of medical and dental care for dependents, and the new payroll deductions for Federal income taxes, materially lowers the value of recent pay increases. These are factors which the President and the Secretary of Defense should carefully weigh in considering the Budget Bureau proposal for discontinuance of medical care for military families.

THE conference in Washington this week of 200 Naval officers and 100 civilian scientists to discuss problems of anti-submarine warfare is another evidence of the determination of Admiral Forrest Sherman, Chief of Naval Operations, to be prepared to counter the threat of hostile undersea operations. The conference follows closely the designation of Vice Admiral Francis Stuart Low to make a comprehensive evaluation of all aspects of anti-submarine planning and organization in the Navy Department and in the Fleet. Admiral Low is a leading specialist in this field. During the first World War he was a submarine commander and later served with a group of submarine chasers. Following the war he was on duty with subsurface craft for several years. In the spring of 1943, when German submersibles were playing havoc with Allied shipping in the Atlantic, Admiral Low was assigned to direct the anti-submarine fight. He not only conducted an active and aggressive campaign against enemy submarines, but he also correlated training and scientific developments so as to make the fight tremendously effective. He was engaged in these operations for nearly two years, during which large numbers of German submarines were destroyed, and the sea was so cleared of this menace so as to make possible the movement to Europe of millions of American soldiers with reasonable security. This brilliant achievement ideally qualifies Admiral Low for his new and highly important assignment. In the present world situation our freedom of the seas is threatened primarily by long-range, high-speed submarines. Admiral Sherman has recognized the danger, and is taking effective means to cope with it.

THE recent announcement of the transfer of controlled submarine mine operations from the Coast Artillery Corps of the Army to the Navy focuses attention on the fine history of this great branch of the Army which has now lost so many of its functions. Changes in the world military situation and in the techniques of waging warfare have made many of its traditional methods of defending harbors and sea coasts obsolete. Throughout our history the protection of our ports and coastal cities was uppermost in the minds of our statesmen and military leaders. Until near the close of World War II there was always the possibility that a naval power might launch an attack from the sea on our mainland or overseas possessions. After the War with Spain, positive action was taken to expand, strengthen and modernize coast defenses. In the early weeks of that war, Cervera's fleet was at large on the high seas and genuine alarm was felt in our Atlantic coastal cities lest they be subjected to bombardment by a modern Spanish armada. The concern subsided when Cervera's vessels sought anchorage at Santiago, Cuba, but the episode was reflected in increased coast defense appropriations. For the next 15 years a considerable portion of our slender military budget was devoted to this purpose. Undoubtedly this provided a sense of security that was not lost until the shattering blow at Pearl Harbor. That attack came from the sea, but by aircraft based on carriers, far out of range of the giant guns. In any conflict of the foreseeable future, there is no probability of any surface fleet bombarding our cities. The attack, if it comes, will be by long-range bombers, or guided missiles launched at great distances from the target. The defense will not be great seacoast batteries, but radar for detection and tracking aerial aggressors, fast interceptor planes, and anti-aircraft artillery firing projectiles equipped with proximity fuses. Our beautiful Coast Artillery reservations have largely been declared surplus and will become residential or industrial subdivisions. The powerful guns will be scrapped. Controlled submarine mine planting will be a combat function of the Navy, not an essential for harbor protection. The Coast Artillery will continue its devoted service, not as an independent branch, but reunited with the Field Artillery in a new Artillery Corps, enriched by the fine traditions of its two great components.

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Army Selections

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

A considerable number of letters have been addressed to your publication relative to the system of selection of Regular Army officers for promotion as provided for in the Officer Personnel Act of 1947.

In this connection I refer to the recent list of officers selected for the permanent grade of Lt. Col. and desire to invite the attention, not only of the Selection Board, but all officers in the Army to the following two cases:

a. Officer "A" was promoted to temporary full Colonel in 1943, while a permanent Captain, and has held that rank ever since. From this we can assume that the officer was qualified for duty in this rank. However, the same officer has now been passed over twice for permanent promotion to Lt. Colonel. If this officer could be promoted and hold the rank of full Colonel for six years it seems inconsistent that he is not qualified to hold permanent rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

b. Officer "B" DA-SR 350-20-1, Paragraph 3 a. covers selection of officers to service schools and indicates that the National War College and Industrial College are the highest schools in the educational system of the Armed Forces and that careful selection will be made of officers to either of these two schools so that the most highly qualified will attend. Now I find that Officer "B" who was apparently selected under this criteria to attend the Industrial College in September 1949 has just been passed over for permanent promotion to Lt. Colonel, Regular Army. It would therefore seem that one of the two processes of selection, either that for attendance to the Industrial College or that for permanent promotion to Lt. Colonel, is at some variance as to the qualifications of Officer "B."

Observer

All Entitled to Benefits

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

Your editorial of 29 Oct. concerning criticism of the Career Compensation Law, as contained in letter, Combat Wounded Retirements, same page, prompts this reply.

After almost 22 years' enlisted and commissioned service, I was retired due to disability incurred in this country, preparing for combat. I did not ask for the disabilities, any more than the combat wounded, and I feel that my career was interrupted, as I fully intended serving the required thirty years, the same as any career soldier. So, why discriminate? I believe all are entitled to the same benefits.

If not, then the new pay increase should be given only to those fortunate enough to be on active duty on 1 Oct. 1949. Of course, those retired after that date would benefit. All retired prior to 1 Oct. 1949, no pay increase. Either go whole hog or none.

Raymond J. Delacroix,
Major, AUS-Ret.

Service Humor

Mistaken Identity

The new blue uniform that Air Force men are wearing caused some confusion at the Chase hotel the other night.

Colonel M. W. Evans, Chief of the Air Force's National Guard Division, was standing in the lobby talking to a friend when a fashionably dressed woman hustled up and demanded to know where she could find the other entrance.

The Colonel, being a stranger there, looked blank and replied courteously that he was unable to help her.

The woman exclaimed indignantly about the poor service she was getting and zoomed off in a rage.

Evans was baffled for a minute. The light dawned. It was the blue uniform.

The woman had mistaken him for a doorman!

—Scott AFB Broadcaster

Store Teeth

They said I'd lisp
And couldn't chew,
I'm optimistic—
They're still new.

—Lee Traveller

In The Journal

One Year Ago

Col. Mary A. Hallaren has accepted the oath of office as the first woman officer in the Regular Army except for those in the Medical Department.

10 Years Ago

The appointment of Admiral J. O. Richardson, USN, to succeed Admiral C. C. Bloch, USN, as Commander-in-Chief U. S. Fleet has been announced. He will take over command 6 Jan.

25 Years Ago

"For National Defense" says President Coolidge, in transmitting the Budget to Congress, "the estimates amount to \$549,000,000," which is \$29,000,000 less than the amount available for the current fiscal year. "This reduction is made in accordance with my belief that we can have adequate National Defense with a more modest outlay of the taxpayers' money. Further study may point the way to additional reduction without weakening our National Defense, but rather perfecting it."

50 Years Ago

The action of the President in promoting and retiring several old officers of the Army has led to the hope that Congress may see fit to authorize similar action with all officers of long service who may ask for it. There are about 200 officers now on the active list of the Army who served during the War of the Rebellion and the enactment of a law authorizing the President to retire these officers upon their own application with an additional grade would be a very acceptable concession to long and faithful service.

85 Years Ago

If the novelty and daring which mark the conception of Sherman's latest and most brilliant campaign have provoked the hearty sympathy of the Nation, the professional skill which thus far accompanies its execution should arouse a hearty admiration. All the news of his progress comes filtered through hostile channels; and yet we search in vain for any record except that of triumphant success.

ARMY

Secretary—Gordon Gray.
Assistant Secretary—Tracy S. Voorhees.
Assistant Secretary—Archibald S. Alexander.
Chief of Staff—General J. Lawton Collins.

GENERAL OFFICERS

Maj Gen L D Miller, ChC, is retired upon own appl.
Maj Gen T H Green, TJAG, is retired upon own appl.
Brig Gen E E MacMorland, Heidelberg, Germany, to Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

INFANTRY

Col G T Shank, St Louis, Mo, to Hq Fifth Mil Dist Sec, Colo Mil Dist, Denver, Colo.
Lt Col R E Keeling, Oklahoma City, Okla, to Fourth A 4302d ASU La Mil Dist, Monroe, La.

Maj C W Ryder, Ft Benning, Ga, to OC of S, Wash, DC.

Maj J L Draper, Jr, Hartford, Conn, to 1123d ASU Office of the Sr A Instr ORC, Waterbury, Conn.

Maj R R Kemm, Ft Benning, Ga, to 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.

Maj J A Klein, Carlisle Bks, Pa, to CGSC, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

Maj J E Londahl, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 2d Inf Div, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Capt W E Joyce, Augusta, Ga, to 3d Inf Div, Ft Benning, Ga.

Capt C Allen, Ft Bragg, NC, to 2d Inf Div, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Capt J M Connell, Nashville, Tenn, to 95th Mil Government Group, Ft Bragg, NC.

Capt F H Burwell, Jr, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to 2d Inf Div, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Capt C C Lantis, San Francisco, Calif, to Sixth A 6012th ASU Sta Com, Cp Stoneman, Calif.

Capt E B Jordan, Corbin, Ky, to Second A 2326th ASU USA and USAF Ohio-Ky Rctg Dist, Ft Hayes, Ohio.

Capt W C McBride, Warrenton, Va, to Stu Det CIC Cen, Cp Holabird, Md.

Capt F DiGiovanni, Hot Springs Natl Pk, Ark, to First A 1117th ASU, Cp Edwards, Mass.

1st Lt V R Diaz, Ft Benning, Ga, to 10th Inf Div, Ft Riley, Kans.

1st Lt E F Moyer, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to Hq A Scty Agency, Wash, DC.

1st Lt P E Stuart, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.

1st Lt T O Jelks, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to 3d Armd Div, Ft Knox, Ky.

1st Lt R J Schippers, Denver, Colo, to 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.

1st Lt G D Kirby, Canton, Ohio, to Second A 2326th ASU USA and USAF Ohio-Ky Rctg Dist, Corbin, Ky.

1st Lt H T Gobbo, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to 10th Inf Div, Ft Riley, Kans.

2d Lt G S Black, Ft Riley, Kans, to Stu Det MP Sch, Cp Gordon, Ga.

2d Lt G A Hill, San Francisco, Calif, to Stu Det MP Sch, Cp Gordon, Ga.

2d Lt P T Hutcheson, Jr, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to Hq A Scty Agency, Wash, DC.

The following Inf officers are reld from Ft Jackson, SC, and are asgd to 5th Inf Div, Cp Gordon, Ga:

Lt Col W H Aldrich 1st Lt A P Rusanowski

Lt Col J W Cassell 1st Lt W H Estey

Maj B C Arnold 2d Lt D O Foich

Maj S J Bright 2d Lt W D Atkinson

Capt W S Brown 2d Lt D B Brooker

Capt A R Walden 2d Lt C C Nelson

Capt W E Powell 2d Lt H E Bullington

Capt J J Martin, Jr 2d Lt E M Witt

Capt J W Woodberry Jr 2d Lt E A Janer

1st Lt J W Chesnut 2d Lt C E Hollott

CAVALRY

Capt L C Kelly, Ft Jackson, SC, to 76th Hq Tk Bn, Cp Campbell, Ky.

Capt D E Guild, Ft Knox, Ky, to 521st ASU Office of the Sr A Instr, Laramie, Wyo.

FIELD ARTILLERY

Col W A Samoue, Ft Monroe, Va, to Hq Second Army, Ft Meade, Md.

Lt Col R C Ross, Ft Sill, Okla, to Fourth A 4301st ASU Ark Mil Dist, Little Rock, Ark.

Lt Col T L Lipscomb, Cambridge, Mass, to OC of S, Wash, DC.

Maj W A Jones, Ft Jackson, SC, to 5th Inf Div, Cp Gordon, Ga.

Maj W B Foster, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to 2502d ASU Pa NG Instr Det, Coraopolis, Pa.

Capt C G Sheaffer, Ft Jackson, SC, to Third A 341st ASU, Cp Gordon, Ga.

Capt T L Lee, Augusta, Ga, to 544th FA Bn, Cp Campbell, Ky.

Capt C M Mizell, Nashville, Tenn, to OC of S, Wash, DC.

Capt E Taylor, Petaluma, Calif, to Stu Det A Lang Sch, Monterey, Calif.

Capt R P Lewis, Jr, Ft Knox, Ky, to Stu Det AA and GM Br Arty Sch, Ft Bliss, Tex.

1st Lt J C Mize, Ft Jackson, SC, to 5th Inf Div, Cp Gordon, Ga.

1st Lt R F Carter, Ft Bliss, Tex, to Stu Det Hq Fourth A, AF Ln Pilot Sch, Waco AFB, Tex.

1st Lt T Gorham, Syracuse, NY, to First A 1202d ASU Det, USA and USAF Rctg, Rochester, NY.

2d Lt E T Klett, NJ, to 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.

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The Hon. Harry S. Truman, Commander in Chief of the Army, Navy and Air Force
Military Aide—Maj. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan, AUS; Naval Aide—Adm. Robert L. Dennison, USN
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Secretary of Defense—Louis A. Johnson, Deputy Secretary of Defense—Stephen Early
Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff—General Omar N. Bradley
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Secretary—Francis P. Matthews.
Under Secretary—Dan Kimball.
Assistant Secretary—John T. Koehler.
Asst. Secy for Air—John F. Floberg
Chief of Operations—
Admiral Forrest P. Sherman.

Rear Admirals

James H Foskett, ComDruDivFour; to Dir, Secretariat and Working Teams, Standing Gru, MilCom, North Atlantic Treaty Organization, Wash, DC.

Captains

Melvin D Abbott (MC), Charleston NSYD; to SeniorMedMbr, PhysEvalBd, 4ND.

Benjamin H Adams (MC), MOInC, Nav Hosp, Annapolis; to SrMedMbr, PhysEvalBd, PhysEvalBd, OSD.

John M Brewster (MC), NavHosp, Phila; to SeniorMedMbr, PhysEvalBd, 4ND.

John F Gallaher, USNavAttache and US NavAttache for Air, Stockholm; to Armd Forces EducationDiv, Off SecDef, Wash, DC.

John A Glick, CO, USS Winston; to Com FitraGru, Boston.

Archibald D Hunter (CEC), Staff, Chief of NavAirTra, Pensacola; to BuDocks.

John M Will, BuPers; to MSTS RepEurope, Joseph E Wolosky (SC), NavSupCen, Oakland, Xo; to BuSandA.

Charles P Archambeault (MC), MSTS, Atlantic, Brooklyn; to MSTS, Wash, DC.

Henry G Clark (CEC), BuDocks; to Staff, ChNavAirTra, Pensacola.

Brook S Mansfield, PortDir, NY; to Ops Officer, NavBase, New York.

Commanders

Robert C Bengston, Asst USNavAttache and Asst USNavAttache for Air, Stockholm; to BuPers.

Charles Bunch, FordInstrumentCo, Inc, Long Island City; to NavOps, ttd pendans.

Morton Harvey, 4ND; to MSTS, Atlantic, Brooklyn.

Valdemar G Lambert, CarAirGrup 15; to NavScol, GL, Monterey.

John C Mathews, 4ND; to Joint TechPlanningComm, Wash, DC.

Frank M Perrin (D)NR, Bd of Decorations and Medals, NavDept; to MSTS, Atlantic, Brooklyn.

George Reith (D)NR, PhibGruFour; to MSTS, Atlantic, Brooklyn.

David C Richardson, NavOps; to Joint Office, JCS, Wash, DC.

Alfred W Gardes, Jr, USS Perkins; to InspInstNavRes, Oklahoma City.

Nathan S Haines, FairAlameda; to Boston Gru, LanResFit.

William M McCormick, ArmedForStaffCol, Norfolk; to Joint Tactical Planning Comm Wash, DC.

Francis T Prichard (CEC), NavGovtGuam; to NavUnit, GovtGuam.

George F Rice, TransRon 23; to NavOperations.

Robert S Riddell, ArmedForStaffCol, Norfolk; to USS Valley Forge.

Otis W Stafford (SC), NavPurchasingOffice, New York; to AviationSupOffice, Phila.

Lt Commanders

Karl S VanMeter, Flight Ron 192; to Flight Ron 151.

Edward T Deacon, AttackRon 114; to Flight Ron 192.

Douglas K English, AttackRon 54; to Flight Ron 152.

Halbert K Evans, AttackRon 95; to BuAer.

Ned A Garrett, ServScolComd, NavTra Cen, Great Lakes; to NavOps.

John B J Granzman, NavResearchLab, Wash, DC; to BostonNavShipyrd.

Max W J Graham, NavScol, GenLine, Monterey; to NavAirActivities, Annapolis.

Roland A Helsel (SC), Aviation Supply Office, Phila; to NavSupCen, Pearl Harbor.

Harlin M Keister, AttackRon 94; to Nav Correspondence CourseCen, New York.

Henry R McArdle (SC), NavSta, New Orleans; to NavClothing Depot, Brooklyn.

James F Merritt, Jr, TransRon 2, Det Honolulu; to NavAirBasicTraComd, Pensacola.

Levern T Niehaus, AttackRon 135; to Car AirGrp 4.

Dwight D Nott, NavScol, GenLine, Monterey; to MSTS, Wash, DC.

Robert C Payne, NavScol, GenLine, Monterey; to MSTS, Wash, DC.

Louis J Russell, InspInst, NavRes, El Paso; to USS Charles P Cecil.

Theodore Schable (C), AttackRon 194; to FlightRon 153.

Charles W Styer, Jr, AsstUSNavAttache and AsstUSNavAttache for Air, Paris; to USS Razorback.

Clovis L Adams, PatRon 48; to TransRon 6.

John C Borden, NavScol, Monterey; to USS Sarsfield.

John L Butler, Jr, NavScol, Monterey; to

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AIR FORCE

Secretary—W. Stuart Symington.
Under Secretary—Arthur S. Barrows.
Assistant Secretary—Eugene M. Zuckert.
Assistant Secretary—Harold C. Stuart.
Chief of Staff—General Hoyt S. Vandenberg.

GENERAL OFFICERS

Major General

W E Hall, USAF, is reld fr asgmt to 1132d USAF S/A Sq, 1130th USAF S/A Gp, Hq Comd, USAF Naval Qrs "K," Columbia Pike, Arlington, Va, fr dy sta at Heidelberg, Germany, fr dy as Dir of Int, EUCOM, and is asgd to Hq USAF, USAF, Directorate of Leg & Ln, Wash, DC, for dy as Deputy Director, Leg & Ln.

J D McIntyre, USAF, is reld fr asgmt to Hq USAF, Cen Con Gp, OSD, fr dy as Dir, Leg Ln, OSD, and is reld fr AD and will revert to retd status.

Brigadier General

D V Gaffney, USAF, is reld fr asgmt to Hq & Hq Sq, 5001st Comp Wg, AAC, Ladd AFB, Alaska, fr dy as CG thereof, and is asgd to Hq & Hq Sq, APG, Eglin AFB, Fla, for dy as Deputy CG thereof.

W L Richardson, USAF, is reld fr asgmt to Hq USAF, Off of DCS/O, Wash, DC, fr dy as Ch of GM Gp, and is asgd to Hq & Hq Sq, AF Div, Jt LR Proving Grd, Cocoa, Fla, w/dy sta at Hq USAF, Wash, DC, for dy W/O of DCS/M (Jt LR Proving Grd Gp).

H P Rush, USAF, is reld fr asgmt to Hq & Hq Sq, Fourth AF, ConAC, Hamilton AFB, Fla, for dy as Deputy CG thereof.

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MARINE CORPS

Commandant—General Clifton B. Cates.
Asst. Comdt.—Maj. Gen. Oliver P. Smith.

1st Lieutenants

John B Melvin, DP, SanFran; to HQMC, Wash, DC, for d w/HqBn.
Robert A Jones, MD, USS Macon; to MCRDep, Parrish, SC.

2d Lieutenants

George F Thayer, NAS, Pensacola; to MCAS, El Toro, Calif.
Warrant Officers

Julius Blinkovitch, HqBn, HQMC, Wash, DC; to MB, NAS, Memphis, Tenn.

Appointments

The following officers have accepted appointments (permanent rank) in the Marine Corps in the indicated ranks:

Lt Colonels

Harry W Taylor Robert H Houser
Victor J Harwick S G Cortelyou
W H Souder, Jr Franklin B Nihart
R J Batterton, Jr

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COAST GUARD

Commandant—Admiral Joseph F. Farley.
Asst. Comdt.—Rear Adm. Merlin O'Neill.

Captains

Thomas Y Await, Designated Acting Commander, 11th CG District.
Arthur G Hall, 7CGDO to HQ (O).
Charles W. Harwood, HQ (OGR) to HQ (INS).

Frank A. Leahy, HQ to 8CGDO (OCS).
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Col. William F. Jones, U.S.A., Ret.
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2d Lt B Allen 2d Lt J A Maurer
2d Lt C T Baker 2d Lt G W McClure,
2d Lt J D Balmer Jr
2d Lt L A Becerra 2d Lt J V McDonald
2d Lt E C Betts 2d Lt C S Meek
2d Lt O V Brown 2d Lt G W Metcalf,
2d Lt G W Bryant Jr
2d Lt L S Bush 2d Lt C L Moran
2d Lt F P Clarke 2d Lt J B Murphy, Jr
2d Lt J J Coghlan 2d Lt H M Nicholson,
2d Lt J Collins Jr
2d Lt H W Condor 2d Lt W H Nordin
2d Lt P A Davis 2d Lt T E Oberley
2d Lt B E Day 2d Lt S E Ormes, Jr
2d Lt S S Day 2d Lt F W Peters, Jr
2d Lt A E Fagg 2d Lt J J Petrich
2d Lt S D Falkenburg 2d Lt R Piganelli
2d Lt R A Fitzgerald 2d Lt G A Pollin
2d Lt A T Flagg 2d Lt R D Powell
2d Lt W N Fluckey 2d Lt C D Frichard
2d Lt D P Frandsen 2d Lt W H Rhodes
2d Lt O R Frandsen 2d Lt E E Roberts
2d Lt J A Gliddings, Jr 2d Lt D B Rogers
2d Lt R E Gillespie 2d Lt B S Rosen
2d Lt W C Goessling, Jr 2d Lt E B Ross, Jr
2d Lt W H Goodwin 2d Lt B C Sabel
2d Lt D N Gower 2d Lt J R Sadler
2d Lt C E Green 2d Lt F L Sarsfield
2d Lt B R Hancey 2d Lt K E Sackafoose
2d Lt D Hayes 1st Lt C J Smith
2d Lt H T Heckman 2d Lt S M Smith, Jr
2d Lt L H Hoot, Jr 2d Lt O F Spencer
2d Lt R L Horey 2d Lt R M Springer,
2d Lt L K Huber Jr
2d Lt J L Hunderer, Jr
2d Lt D R Keith 2d Lt R C Styling
2d Lt M E Key 2d Lt G D Summers
2d Lt L G King 2d Lt E Surut
2d Lt A J Kingdom 2d Lt C A Terry
2d Lt C B Lee 2d Lt D E Thompson
2d Lt M K Lewis 2d Lt A F Turner
2d Lt E J Lochhead 2d Lt K Watson, Jr
2d Lt H F Lombard 2d Lt D E Whistler
2d Lt A L Loth 2d Lt R V White
2d Lt J T Marley 2d Lt T L Wilcox
2d Lt W S Vargovich

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS—

Col J P Shumate, Topeka, Kans, to First A 1106th ASU HD of Boston, Ft Banks, Mass.
Col K M Barringer, Ft Jackson, SC, to Third A, Cp Stewart, Ga.

Lt Col W C Mahoney, Jr, Jacksonville, Fla, to 335th ASU Fla NG Instr State Arsenal, St Augustine, Fla.

Maj W H Knox, Jr, Ft Scott, Calif, to Fourth A 4032d ASU, AAA & GM Cen, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Maj E H Hilton, Wichita, Kans, to Fifth A 5302d ASU USA and USAF Southern Rctg Dist, St Louis, Mo.

Capt D W Edwards, Ft Bliss, Tex, to 319th Abn FA Bn 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.

Capt V J Tuliszewski, Ft Scott, Calif, to Stu Det A Lang Sch, Monterey, Calif.

Capt C E Chilton, Ft Constitution, NH, to First Army 110th ASU HD of Portland, Ft Williams, Me.

Capt T W Wright, Ft Bliss, Tex, to 323th ASU ROTC, Agricultural and Technical College of NC, Greensboro, NC.

Capt R W Williams, Chicago, Ill, to 113th CIC Det Fifth A, Kansas City, Mo.

1st Lt J W Troxell, Eugene, Ore, to Sixth Army 6404th ASU USA and USAF Rct Main Sta, Butte, Mont.

1st Lt L S Jackson, San Francisco, Calif, to 115th CIC Det Sixth A, Ft MacArthur, Calif.

The following CAC officers are retd from Ft Riley, Kans, and are asgd to Stu Det Arty Sch, Ft Sill, Okla, w/TDY at AA and GM Br, Arty Sch, Ft Bliss, Tex:

2d Lt R P Dixon, Jr 2d Lt W G Myers
2d Lt J E Hughes 2d Lt R B Nelson
2d Lt W B Proctor, Jr 2d Lt J J Padon
2d Lt L W Williams 2d Lt J E Poore
2d Lt G M Alter 2d Lt J L Ray
2d Lt S A Meyerhoff 2d Lt R D Rosenblatt
2d Lt J F Andrews 2d Lt A V Sarcione
2d Lt R C Barlow 2d Lt R P Selim
2d Lt A W Blankenship 2d Lt P L Semsch
2d Lt D V Braun 2d Lt H E Shaw
2d Lt H H Bunkhorst 2d Lt C L Smith
2d Lt J C Burkhardt 2d Lt P C Smiththey
2d Lt W M Castellini 2d Lt D H Steenburn
2d Lt G X Cheves, Jr 2d Lt L W Sturdivant
2d Lt D J Colgan 2d Lt J O Vogel
2d Lt C S Colson 2d Lt W O Ware
2d Lt R E Cook 2d Lt W F West
2d Lt R S Craig 2d Lt J A Whitmarsh
2d Lt R K Dalrymple 2d Lt J C Wood, Jr
2d Lt F B Deem, Jr 2d Lt S V Ellenthrope
2d Lt P J Dickerson 2d Lt J F Andrews
2d Lt S F Dodd 2d Lt J M Clark
2d Lt J W Ferguson 2d Lt O M Davis
2d Lt D G Freeman 2d Lt O J Harrison
2d Lt J F Fritz 2d Lt J E Hughes, Jr
2d Lt B J Gardner 2d Lt H J Jensen
2d Lt D L Gillatt 2d Lt T L Johnson
2d Lt C F Godfrey 2d Lt A C Kitias
2d Lt C M Guelzo 2d Lt N G Larsen
2d Lt W C Hall 2d Lt M L McClusland
2d Lt J R Hayne 2d Lt J T Moore

2d Lt W O Keeling, Jr 2d Lt E W Pence
2d Lt J B Latimer 2d Lt W R Smith
2d Lt W E Marfuggi 2d Lt G H Strauss
2d Lt E S Marks 2d Lt E N Trabue
2d Lt F R Marshall 2d Lt F D Ream
2d Lt D J McCarron 2d Lt D M Sheldon
2d Lt E B Mechling, Jr 2d Lt L E Stephenson
2d Lt R L Miller 2d Lt G E Turner, Jr
2d Lt J E Muckerman

CORPS OF ENGINEERS—

Maj Gen Lewis A Pick, C of E
Col C H McNuttum, Ft Belvoir, Va, to Southwestern Div CE, Kirtland AFB, NMEx.
Lt Col L R St John, Wash, DC, to Stu Det Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, Va.
Lt Col D A Elliget, Portland, Ore, to Office Army Comptroller, OC of S, USA, Wash, DC.
Maj L L DeNoya, Caney, Kans, to the Southwestern Div CE, Tulsa, Okla.
Capt J Schwartz, Hackensack, NJ, to 1243d ASU Office Sr A Instr ORC, Trenton, NJ.
1st Lt H L Chiles, Ft Riley, Kans, to 2349th AFORD, Hamilton AFB, Calif.
1st Lt T P Jackson, Ft Riley, Kans, to MDW 7031st ASU AMC, Wash, DC.

SIGNAL CORPS—

Maj Gen Spencer B Akin, CSO
Col C S Stodter, Long Island City, NY, to OC Sig O, Wash, DC.
Capt F L Thomsen, Ft Monmouth, NJ, to Hq A Scty Agency, Wash, DC.
Capt L E Ellis, Ft Monmouth, NJ, to Army Comd and Administrative Comm Agency, Wash, DC.
Capt H H Kerr, Carlisle Bks, Pa, to Fourth A 4106th ASU Det NOPE, New Orleans, La.
Capt W A Indyk, Ft Monmouth, NJ, to OC Sig O, Wash, DC.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—

Maj Gen E F Witzell, TAG
Lt Col J F Taylor, El Paso, Tex, to Fourth A 4202d ASU USA and USAF Western Rctg Dist, Big Spring, Tex.
Maj W H Woodward, Chicago, Ill, to 5260th ASU Sr A Instr ORC, Sioux Falls, SDak.
Capt M G Schofield, Ft Scott, Calif, to Sixth A 6513th ASU Calif Mil Dist, San Francisco, Calif.
Capt J J Ursano, Ft Dix, NJ, to AGO, Wash, DC.

Capt C W Hannah, Ft Jackson, SC, to Third A, 5th Inf Div, Cp Gordon, Ga.

1st Lt L I Teichman, Los Angeles, Calif, to Sixth A 6515th ASU Utah Mil Dist, Ft Douglas, Utah.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S CORPS—

Brig Gen E M Brannon, Acting JAG
Lt Col W Berman, Brooklyn, NY, to Hq 5th Army, Chicago, Ill.
Capt J J Jenkins, Chicago, Ill, to Fifth Army 5010th ASU, Ft Custer, Mich.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS—

Maj Gen H Feldman, QMG
Col W E Pheris, New York, NY, to QOMG, Wash, DC.
Col H W Robinson, Ft Meade, Md, to AGO, Wash, DC, to Second A 2302d ASU Eastern Pa Mil Dist, Allentown, Pa.
Lt Col G W Cook, Wash, DC, to Stu Det Hq Second A, Univ of Maryland, College Pk, Md.

Maj W E Lappin, Carlisle Bks, Pa, to Hq Army Scty Agency, Wash, DC.

Capt F J Barrie, Yuma, Ariz, to Sixth A 6512th ASU Montans Mil Dist, Ft Missoula, Mont.

Capt M P Shaw, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to Stu Det Hq Fifth A QM Subs Sch, Chicago, Ill.

Capt E M Crim, San Francisco, Calif, to Sixth A 6517th ASU Nev Mil Dist, Reno, Nev.

1st Lt D E Ewing, Cp Campbell, Ky, to Stu Det QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

2d Lt W E Farrell, Cp Lee, Va, to Hq Second A, Ft Meade, Md.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—

Maj Gen E M Foster, C of F
Capt F S Hansen, St Louis, Mo, to Second A 11th Abn Div, Cp Campbell, Ky.

Capt L G Foster, St Louis, Mo, to Chicago, FOUSA, Chicago, Ill.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Maj Gen B W Bliss, SG
Medical Corps

Col J K Davis, San Francisco, Calif, to Percy Jones GH, Battle Creek, Mich.

Col T W E Christmas, San Francisco, Calif, to SFPE, Ft Mason, Calif.

Lt Col W B Look, Wash, DC, to Fourth A Sta Hosp, Cp Hood, Tex.

Maj M R Connolly, Denver, Colo, to Sixth A 6012th ASU Sta Hosp, Cp Stoneman, Calif.

Maj L B Cooke, Jr, Denver, Colo, to Stu Det Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

Maj V B Vare, Jr, Ann Arbor, Mich, to Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

Maj G M Sabin, Jr, Ft Jay, NY, to Stu Det Fitzsimons GH, Denver, Colo.

Capt D Roth, Cp Kilmer, NJ, to First A 1227th ASU, First A Area Med Lab, New York, NY.

1st Lt J A Norman, Denver, Colo, to Fourth A 4050th ASU Sta Hosp, Ft Sill, Okla.

1st Lt T Kurze, San Francisco, Calif, to 279th Gen Hosp Fitzsimons GH, w/sta at Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

Dental Corps—

Maj Gen T L Smith, Asst to SG

Lt Col W F Perkins, Jr, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to Letterman GH, San Francisco, Calif.

Capt R W Flinchbaugh, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to Fourth A 4005th ASU, Cp Hood, Tex.
Capt D J Styer, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to Fourth A 4122d ASU Sandia Base, Albuquerque, N Mex.

1st Lt H W Schlerbecker, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to Fourth A 4005th ASU, Cp Hood, Tex.

1st Lt H A Miller, Ft Bragg, NC, to Third A 3540th ASU Atlanta Gen Dep, Atlanta, Ga.

Medical Service Corps—

Cpl Othmar F Gorup, Chief

Maj M A Kimpton, San Francisco, Calif, to Second A 2004th ASU WAC TC, Cp Lee, Va.

Capt G F Gerkin, Wash, DC, to Second A Sta Hosp, Carlisle Bks, Pa.

Capt J H Keim, Cp Kilmer, NJ, to First A Sta Hosp, Ft Dix, NJ.

Capt J H Tinsley, Augusta, Ga, to Asgd to dy w/ 307th Med Gp, MacDill AFB, Fla.

Maj E D Plant, Cp Kilmer, NJ, to First A 1301st ASU, Ft Monmouth, NJ.

Capt G C Kistler, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to Second A 2101st ASU Sta Hosp, Ft Meade, Md.

Capt C H LeGay, Wash, DC, to Fourth A 42d Armd Inf Bn, Cp Hood, Tex.

Veterinary Corps—

Brig Gen J A McCallum, Chief

Maj H F Sibert, Ft Reno, Okla, to Fifth A 5035th ASU Hq Vet Food Inspection Sv, Omaha, Nebr.

Women's Medical Service Corps—

Cpl Emma E Vogel, Chief

Maj E Kuruner, Denver, Colo, to Stu Det Hq Third A, Warm Springs, Ga.

Capt V L Buehler, San Francisco, Calif, to Wm Beaumont GH, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Capt E T Harr, Battle Creek, Mich, to Letterman GH, San Francisco, Calif.

Capt M G MacDowell, Cp Carson, Colo, to Fifth A 5021st ASU Sta Hosp, Ft Riley, Kans.

1st Lt A W McFadden, San Francisco, Calif, to Sixth A 6013th ASU, Ft Lawton, Wash.

1st Lt E Alexander, Ft Lawton, Wash, to Letterman GH, San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt H G Erickson, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to Percy Jones GH, Battle Creek, Mich.

1st Lt J R Bowdish, Ft Riley, Kans, to Fifth A 5022d ASU Sta Hosp, Cp Carson, Colo.

Army Nurse Corps—

Cpl Mary G Phillips, Chief

Maj M G Stott, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to William Beaumont GH, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Maj I G Pifer, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to Sixth A 6013th ASU, Ft Lawton, Wash.

Maj N J Jensen, Ft Lawton, Wash, to Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

Capt G L Chapman, Seattle, Wash, to Sixth A 6013th ASU Sta Com, Ft Lawton, Wash.

Capt J M Eads, Phoenixville, Pa, to Sixth A Sta Hosp, Cp Stoneman, Calif.

Capt E E Ross, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to Second A 2124th ASU, Ft Monroe, Va.

Capt B J Fancy, Governors Is, NY, to First A 1224th ASU Gen Disp USA, New York, NY.

Capt F N Scott, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to Fourth A 4005th ASU, Cp Hood, Tex.

Capt V M McGuire, Ft Mason, Calif, to NYPE, Brooklyn, NY.

Capt L Newton, Ft Dix, NJ, to Oliver GH, Augusta, Ga.

Capt M P O'Dwyer, Denver, Colo, to Second A 2128th ASU, Sta Hosp, Ft Knox, Ky.

1st Lt E A Wood, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to Percy Jones GH, Battle Creek, Mich.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Maj Gen E L Ford, C of O

Capt M L Maroukian, Ft Dix, NJ, to Hqs First A Ord Sec, Governors Is, NY.

Capt A T Decler, Cp Holabird, Md, to 115th CIC Det Sixth A, San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt T J DeBarber, Ft Dix, NJ, to Stu Det CIC Cen, Cp Holabird, Md.

1st Lt W W Walters, Cp Hood, Tex, to Stu Det Ord Sch, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

1st Lt T A Ewalt, Ft Riley, Kans, to Stu Det CIC Cen, Cp Holabird, Md.

1st Lt W W Swearingen, Ft Lewis, Wash, to Sixth A 6004th ASU, Ft MacArthur, Calif.

1st Lt R L Sandberg, Waco, Tex, to 13th Ord Arty and Vehicle Park Co, Ft Lewis, Wash.

CHEMICAL CORPS—

Maj Gen A C McAuliffe, C of Cml C

Capt J N Granade, Ft Benning, Ga, to Third A 3461st ASU, Cp Rucker, Ala.

Capt R C Dalzell, A Cml Cen, Md, to Stu Det Armd Sch, Cp Knox, Ky.

Capt W E Richardson, Detroit, Mich, to Stu Det A Lang Sch, Monterey, Calif.

1st Lt D E Maxwell, Edgewood Arsenal, Md, to Cp Detrick, Frederick, Md.

CHAPLAINS CORPS—

Maj Gen Roy H Parker, C of C

Capt W R Carner, Ft Mason, Calif, to First Army 1362d ASU Sta Com, Ft Totten, NY.

Capt A N Cain, Ft Mason, Calif, to 4th Inf Div, Ft Ord, Calif.

Capt J H Allen, Ft Mason, Calif, to NYPE, Brooklyn, NY.

1st Lt T K Kurze, San Francisco, Calif, to 279th Gen Hosp Fitzsimons GH, w/sta at Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

TRANSPORTATION CORPS—

Maj Gen F A Helleman, C of T

Lt Col J M McKeague, Ft Hamilton, NY.

to NYPE, Brooklyn, NY.

Lt Col W D Roth, Ft Mason, Calif, to Eustis, Va.

Lt Col W H Kennett, Wash, DC, to Eustis, Va.

Lt Col E P Moore, Ft Mason, Calif, to NYPE, Brooklyn, NY.

Maj R A Gusicki, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 53d Trans Trk Bn, Ft Sill, Okla.

Maj J W Coulter, Raleigh, NC, to Third A 3320th ASU Det No 1 ORC, Greensboro, NC.

Maj J M Taylor, Ft Jackson, SC, to 3215th ASU ROTC Fulton County High School, Atlanta, Ga.

Capt R Lipez (WAC), Brooklyn, NY, to C & GSC, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

Capt R S James, San Francisco, Calif, to SFPE, Ft Mason, Calif.

1st Lt M Goldman, Brooklyn, NY, to SFPE, Ft Mason, Calif.

1st Lt C P Fitz-Wilson, Ft Mason, Calif, to Sixth Army 6501st ASU Central Sub-areas, San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt W M Dalton, Ft Mason, Calif, to NYPE, Brooklyn, NY.

1st Lt R M Staley, Jr, Ft Dix, NJ, to Army Members Dept of Defense Milt Occupations Classification Project, Wash, DC.

2d Lt E J Zevitas, New York, NY, to 102d CIC Det, First A, Boston, Mass.

The following TC officers are retd from Brooklyn, NY, and are asgd to Ft Eustis, Va:

Lt Col F M Sperry 2d Lt E J Zevitas

Lt Col H I Schmitt 2d Lt E J Zevitas

Maj J Davis 2d Lt E J Zevitas

Maj H A Klinetop 2d Lt E J Zevitas

CORPS OF MILITARY POLICE—

Maj Gen E P Parker, Jr, PMO

Capt H J White, San Francisco, Calif, to 61st MP CID, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Capt R G Remley, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to 2d Arm Div, Cp Hood, Tex.

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CIC Det First A, New York, NY.
W Kraus, New York, NY, to 113th CIC Det Fifth A, Chicago, Ill.
M F Peterson, Pullman, Wash, to 4th Regt Cmbt Team, Ft Lewis, Wash.
W F Carty, Los Angeles, Calif, to 2d Inf Div, Ft Lewis, Wash.
L N McGuyre, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to 112th CIC Det Fourth A, San Antonio, Tex.
W G Steen, San Antonio, Tex, to 112th CIC Det Fourth A, Edinburg, Tex.
W S Dickey, Chattanooga, Tenn, to Stu Det CIC Cen, Cp Holabird, Md.
A L Galli, San Francisco, Calif, to 115th CIC Det Sixth A, Ft Douglas, Utah.

ALERTED FOR OVERSEAS—

To FEC, Yokohama, Japan
Field Artillery—1st Lt W L Plummer, 2d Lt D L Coles, 1st Lt R E Thibault, Capt S T Cooper, 1st Lt W Fite, 2d Lt E P Terrell, Jr.
Signal Corps—1st Lt A L Bonds, 1st Lt P M McGivern, Jr, 1st Lt E M Greaser.
Infantry—1st Lt R S Walden, Capt T W McCulston, 2d Lt R K Niumra, 1st Lt J E Shouse, 2d Lt H Suzuki, Maj G A Tunstall, 1st Lt W F C Samoni, 1st Lt P Stoak, Capt J. L. Andrews, 2d Lt G E Abbot, 1st Lt R L Call, 1st Lt J T Farrington, 1st Lt F M Kirk, Capt D P Midgett, 1st Lt G A Peters, 1st Lt R D Stewart, 1st Lt C H Welsh, 1st Lt W D Beall, Maj E M Ghiz, 2d Lt P H Gannon, 1st Lt K R Manwell, 1st Lt R M McCauley, Jr, 1st Lt W J Morgan, 1st Lt L T Newland, Jr, 1st Lt R P Brinke, Capt T E McCaffrey, 2d Lt R C Morehouse, Capt T H Nipps, 1st Lt C Perilli, Capt G W Shuler, 2d Lt R K Sullivan, 1st Lt W D Tabor, 1st Lt G E Williams, 1st Lt J B Wright.
Corps of Engineers—Maj C E Cross, Maj A Koukol, Jr.
Veterinary Corps—Capt D E Guy.
Women's Army Corps—Maj F M Clark, 1st Lt B L Parker, 2d Lt M R Young.
Medical Service Corps—Capt W G Clark.
Transportation Corps—1st Lt O F Goggans, Jr.
Adjutant General's Department—1st Lt R Gleason.
Quartermaster Corps—Capt C A Brehm.
Medical Corps—Maj W A Zuelzer.
Corps of Military Police—1st Lt W R Pritchard.
Ordnance Department—Capt F J O'Connor.
Finance Department—Maj J A Stewart.
Coast Artillery Corps—1st Lt P L Larson.

To Tokyo, Japan

Infantry—Capt W L Carson.
Signal Corps—1st Lt J R Clark.
Chief Warrant Officers—J P Winters.
To Ryukyu Comd, Okinawa
Ordnance Department—2d Lt W F Emmerman.
Dental Corps—1st Lt J H Henderson, Jr.
To 20th AF, Okinawa
Corps of Engineers—1st Lt D J Rogerson.
To Batavia, Java
General Staff Corps—Lt Col J B Leer.
To Ft Shafter, HI
Corps of Engineers—Maj J T M Chang.
To EUCOM, Bremerhaven, Germany
Cavalry—Lt Col G H Rochman.
Chemical Corps—Maj S Kinsman.
Corps of Engineers—Col R Lee.
Transportation Corps—1st Lt V E Haley.
Ordnance Department—2d Lt E S Summers.
Infantry—1st Lt R W Kennedy.
Finance Department—Lt Col E W Taylor.
Warrant Officers (JG)—E W Gibson, C A Fowler, L M Walinski, J K Petre.
To Frankfurt, Germany
Signal Corps—1st Lt F L Strama.

To Salzburg, Austria

Field Artillery—Capt G H Bean, Maj C H C Braden, 1st Lt A Micinowski, 2d Lt J J Riccardi, 2d Lt M J Mosser.
Infantry—Maj H F Hauser, 1st Lt T M Golden, 1st Lt D E Seales, 1st Lt C C Roeder, Jr, Lt Col R H Stephens.
Signal Corps—Maj G W Ross.
Adjutant General's Department—2d Lt I Cash.

To TRUST

Infantry—1st Lt J C Phillips.
To Antilles, San Juan, PR
Signal Corps—Capt D C Wilton.
To Caribbean, Ft Amador, CZ
Infantry—Capt C A Heqq, Capt V B Huey, 1st Lt C D Singer, Capt O Drake, Capt F G Mitchell.
To Manitoba, Canada
Signal Corps—Capt J T Deaton.
To Ft Richardson, Alaska
Ordnance Department—1st Lt B C Drymon.
Cavalry—Maj W P Meredith.
Infantry—Maj D J Stephenson, Lt Col J A Cook.

RETIRED—

Col P H French, NGB, upon own appl.
WO 1C L B Williams, upon own appl, and advd to Lt Col.
CWO J B Gerrity, upon own appl, advd to 1st Lt.
Col J H Keatinge, FA, upon own appl.
Col P H Sperati, Inf, upon own appl.
CWO H M Marsh, upon own appl.
Col S A Dickson, FA, upon own appl.

RESIGNED—

1st Lt M A Lewis, MSC.
Capt R J Sullivan, DC.
Capt M L Lomen, ANC.
1st Lt J M O'Connor, QMC.
1st Lt H M Cartwright, WMSC.
Lt Col M W Musgrave, Sig C.
Capt D E Easterling, ANC.
1st Lt R N Renfrow, FA.
1st Lt B A Petrie, QMC.

PROMOTED—

To Captain
1st Lt C L Shumaker, Jr, Inf.
To 1st Lieutenant
1st Lt M M Poitras, WMSC.

APPOINTED—

1st Lieutenants
R J Reed, JAGC
2d Lieutenants
D P Heekin, Inf F H Diercks, MSC
J O Ford, Inf W S Rooney, MSC
C A Matiach, Inf E P Robinson, FD
R W Morgan, MSC B M Vaughn, Inf
A D Mandel, MSC H S Thigpen, CE

TRANSFERRED—

To Air Force
Capt F T Watrous, QMC

ADVANCED ON RETIRED LIST—

To Major
M/Sgt J M McGargill M/Sgt G J Napier
To Captain
M/Sgt C Berry
To 1st Lieutenant
M/Sgt J D Cruz M/Sgt F Pettus
To 2d Lieutenant
M/Sgt J E Wanamaker
To Chief Warrant Officer
M/Sgt E Lang

ENLISTED MEN RETIRED—

M/Sgt F A Stevens	M/Sgt P J St Laurent
Sgt F Kelman	M/Sgt G Jordan
Sgt J Organ	M/Sgt E W Madsen
Cpl H Hunter	Sgt I/C W J Mooney
Pfc M Camanyag	Sgt S J Goggins
Sgt J L Gourley	Sgt G B Hoover
Sgt E B Larsen	Cpl L C Rice
Sgt R E Lewis	M/Sgt I Shakespeare
Cpl E Moore	M/Sgt D Williams
Sgt A G Peoples	Sgt I/C J D Carter
Sgt R G Shinners	Sgt I/C J A Hartzell
Cpl J W Stephens	Sgt I/C J Singletone
M/Sgt J Antosz	M/Sgt T H Brock
M/Sgt E G Dixon	M/Sgt S C Chase
M/Sgt S S Jones	M/Sgt W Moore
M/Sgt E R Joves	

Praises USO Role

The wartime record of the USO and the need for its continuation to serve the peacetime needs of the military services were emphasized this week by General J. Lawton Collins, Army Chief of Staff, in an address opening the USO drive at Baltimore, Md.

Stressing the youthfulness of the present Army, General Collins noted that nearly one-half of the men and women in the Army are 21 years of age or younger, and that nearly three-fourths are 25 or under.

"These youngsters," said General Collins, "have very broad interests not only within the Service, but in what is going on outside, and they run the full gamut of personal tastes and attitudes which you encounter in the average American youngster. They are true counterparts of their brothers in our wartime Army."

General Collins told the USO meeting that "we are giving our young soldiers the best training and the best education of any Army in the world. But we cannot give them the best all-around environment without civilian assistance."

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Foreign Affairs—A strategic plan for the integrated defense of the twelve Atlantic Pact countries was completed this week by military leaders in Paris and approved by the Defense Committee. The details of the strategic arrangements were not revealed, but are understood to be highly satisfactory to all participants.

On Tuesday, 29 Nov., the military representatives of the countries concerned held two meetings under the chairmanship of General Omar N. Bradley, head of the American Joint Chiefs of Staff, and went over the plans developed by staff groups from the armed forces of the allied countries. The conclusions of the Military Committee were considered and approved by the Defense Committee which met in Paris on Thursday, 1 Dec., under the direction of Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson of the United States.

Speculation indicates that the approved strategic plan provides for holding a 3,000-mile defense barrier from Norway to the Aegean, with much of the line along the Elbe, deep in Germany. This is somewhat surprising since many observers felt that the Allies would elect to defend the Rhine, or a line even farther west. If the report that the Elbe has been chosen as the defense line proves to be correct, it would indicate that the planners are more optimistic than the situation would appear to warrant. The present available forces of the Allies could scarcely be expected to hold such an exposed front for any extended period.

It is reported that long range and intercontinental bombing would be assigned to the United States, while the mission of medium and short range bombing would go to the air forces of Great Britain and France. Ground forces would be provided initially by British and continental armies, reinforced by the occupation troops of the United States. Naval forces would be combined under a single command, but each country would be authorized to retain sufficient fleet units to protect its harbors and shipping.

Both Secretary Johnson and General Bradley were at some pains to make it clearly understood that there is definitely no thought of arming the West Germans and including German troops in the forces of the Alliance. Some critics contend that this is an unrealistic approach to a present danger, since it leaves the new Federal Republic with no way to protect itself against Communist incursions after the Allied occupation troops are withdrawn.

The Russians are reliably reported to be organizing an East German army of six groups, each of 60,000 men, armed with Russian weapons, trained by former Nazi officers, and under the command of a Soviet field marshal. This army, so the report goes, would provide a Soviet-sponsored military force of sufficient strength to take over all of Germany the moment occupation troops leave. It would be backed up by strong Russian and Polish formations, based in Poland, under the command of Soviet Field Marshal Konstantin K. Rokosovsky.

Senator Elmer Thomas (D-Okl.), Chairman of the Armed Services subcommittee of the Senate Appropriations Committee, who has been in Europe for several weeks, believes that we should counter this threat by establishing a small German military force in West Germany. He and others recognize the danger inherent in such a development, but believe it could be minimized by giving German troops only defensive weapons and denying it any air strength.

Senator Thomas and other members of Congress, who recently visited Spain, believe that country should be invited to join the Atlantic Pact. Spain has a fair army of half a million men and is militarily anti-Communist. It is well protected by the Pyrenees from invasion from the east and is well supplied with excellent harbors and air bases. Western military leaders cast envious eyes at the Spanish war potential, but the governments of the United States, Great Britain and France are all definitely opposed to an alliance with Spain. For the present, at least, rapprochement with that country seems out of the question.

With the strategic concept of North Atlantic defense definitely adopted, the next step will be the rearment of Western Europe. Weapons and equipment will be furnished by the United States under the terms of the Mutual Aid Program recently authorized by Congress. Funds will also be allotted for the development of munitions plants and related facilities in the various countries.

Maj. Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, U. S. Army, has been assigned as Director of Military Assistance in the Office of the Secretary of Defense. He will coordinate the functions of the department in carrying out its obligations under the program. Gen. Thomas T. Handy, commander-in-chief of the United States Forces in Europe, will be the senior representative of the Defense Department in Europe, and a member of the United States coordinating committee, the other members of which are Ambassador Lewis Douglas, chairman, and Ambassador W. Averill Harriman. Lt. Col. C. H. Bonesteel, III, loaned by the Army to the State Department, will be Executive Director of the program in Europe, with headquarters at London.

The Cominform this week called on Communists and workers' parties throughout the world to unite against Marshal Tito, the dissident Red ruler of Yugoslavia. The announcement declared all workers should join in the fight against "Tito's clique of hired spies and murderers." This declaration would indicate the possibility that concrete plans have been secretly drafted by the Reds to oust the Yugoslav dictator in the near future.

This development lends a measure of corroboration to reports in foreign diplomatic circles that an anti-Tito coup is planned for some time between Christmas and Easter. It reportedly would start from a staged revolt in Belgrade, with prompt military aid from Hungary and Romania. Tito, himself, appears unperturbed by threats and rumors. On Tuesday of this week, the marshal, resplendent in a new, gay uniform, was host at a big party in celebration of the fifth anniversary of his accession to power. Among the guests were diplomatic representatives of the western powers, but the envoys of Russia and her satellites were not invited to attend.

In this hemisphere the Republic of Panama is experiencing an uneasy lull under Arnulfo Arias, the third person to occupy the presidency in the course of a few days. Under the protection of Col. Jose Remon, chief of police and current strong man of the republic, Arias defied a supreme court order and assumed office. An attempt to give his seizure of the office the color of legality was made by a hasty recount of the ballots cast in the presidential election of a year ago in which Arias was defeated. The election board this time reversed the previous results and counted him in, and the National Assembly confirmed the decision. Arias has been openly hostile to the United States and our State Department is hesitant about recognizing his seizure of power.

Communist troops this week occupied Chungking, the third Chinese capital to fall to the Reds in their victorious sweep across the country. The capture of the

city followed the usual pattern. Huge defense forces had been gathered to protect the town, then at the approach of the conquerors the opposition faded and the nationalists fled without offering more than token resistance. The remnants of the old regime hastily established a new capital at Chengtu in Szechuan province. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, who had been directing the defense of Chungking, has gone to Chengtu. The ailing President Li Tsung-jen is still in a hospital in Hong Kong, but plans to leave soon for the United States.

As a result of the attack by a nationalist warship on an American freighter, the Sir John Franklin, near the mouth of the Yangtze, the State Department has warned American shipowners that any attempt to run through the nationalist blockade will be at their own risk. At the same time the Department registered a strong protest with the nationalist government.

Secretary of State Dean Acheson denounced the Chinese Communists for seizing and holding for more than a year two American Service men, Chief Electrician William C. Smith of the Navy and Master Sergeant Elmer C. Bender of the Marines. These men disappeared near Tsingtao in October 1948, and have since been reported in a Communist prison. Both are being held incommunicado by the Reds, and all protests by our government have been ignored.

Returning from a trip to the Orient, Senator H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.) issued a statement last Thursday advocating a united American military command in the Far East, to include Japan and the Asiatic mainland. He also proposed a military advisory committee and a joint Congressional sub-committee of the Foreign Relations and Armed Services Committees of both Houses to assist the State Department in developing a program for "positive action" in the Far East.

Vacancies in Defense Agencies—The resignation of Mr. David E. Lilienthal as Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission vacates another important civilian post in an agency closely related to the National Defense. The President indicated this week that he has not yet decided on a successor to Mr. Lilienthal. The appointment of Mr. Hubert E. Howard as Chairman of the Munitions Board fills a long-existing vacancy, but at the same time leaves a vacancy in the head of the Personal Policy Board of the Department of Defense, from which Mr. Howard was transferred to the Munitions Board.

The National Security Resources Board has lacked a chairman for a year. The President appointed Mr. Mon C. Wallgren to this post, but the Senate failed to confirm him. Dr. John R. Steelman, Assistant to the President, has been acting as temporary chairman of the Board, pending a permanent appointment. Dr. Karl T. Compton recently resigned as Chairman of the Research and Development Board of the Department of Defense and the President has not as yet designated a successor.

In view of the importance of these positions in planning for National Security the hope is expressed that they will be filled soon by outstanding individuals, well qualified for the difficult tasks to which they will be assigned. The President has frequently indicated the difficulty he is experiencing in persuading qualified men to accept key posts at authorized salaries, particularly in view of the adverse and often unjustified criticism to which Government officials are frequently subject.

How "Small" is Forced Attrition?—With only the permanent promotions in the Medical Department to be made before the Army completes its second round of promotions and pass-overs under provisions of the Officer Personnel Act of 1947, it is interesting to recall the testimony of Army officials before Congress when promotion legislation was being considered. At that time, the Army expert on the promotion legislation, Maj. Gen. (then Brig. Gen.) John E. Dahlquist, told the House Armed Services Committee that while there was no way of estimating forced attrition under the pending legislation, the consensus was that "for the next few years, it is going to be very, very small."

It may be that General Dahlquist's forecast has been borne out and that, actually, the attrition resulting from persons having been "passed over" twice is "very, very small." However, there is no way of ascertaining that this is true, because Army officials continue to keep this information secret. Thus, for example, it is impossible to state authoritatively how many of the 87 permanent majors who failed of selection for promotion to lieutenant colonel were passed over for a second time and therefore are to be separated. Conceivably the number may, indeed, be "very, very small," but the refusal to let the service know the facts would seem to indicate otherwise.

Members of Congress doubtless will call upon the Army for this specific pass-over data when Congress reconvenes in order to learn whether the forced attrition below the rank of lieutenant colonel is high or "very, very small."

Honor Armed Forces I and E—The Trustees of Freedoms Foundation, Inc., Valley Forge, Pa., selected the Armed Forces Information and Education Division, under Maj. Gen. William K. Harrison, Jr., for the 1949 honor medal and \$1,500 check award, presented at a ceremony last week by General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower. The award honored the achievements of the "Armed Forces Talks," distributed to all Services. The monetary award was turned over to the Army-Air Force Central Welfare Fund for equitable distribution among all the Armed Forces, including the Navy.

Air Research Center—A new Army Corps of Engineers District has been established to direct construction of non-technical facilities at the Air Engineering Development Center, Camp Forrest, Tenn. The new district will be known as the Tullahoma District, with permanent headquarters at Tullahoma, Tenn. Temporary headquarters will be in the Office of the Chief of Engineers. The district will be without territorial limits and will supervise only assigned projects.

The Air Engineering Development Center is to be an Air Force research installation for development and evaluation of air weapons. The fiscal year 1950 budget includes an appropriation of \$6,000,000 and contract authority for \$24,000,000 to begin the AEDC program. The development center will have wind tunnels for aircraft testing, an altitude test chamber for jet engines and utilities as required to support these facilities. As knowledge on trans-sonic and supersonic flight is expanded, additional testing equipment may be added.

Col. David M. Dunne, Assistant Commandant of The Engineer School, Ft. Belvoir, Va., for two years, has been appointed by Maj. Gen. Lewis A. Pick, Chief of Engineers, to be Acting District Engineer for the Tullahoma District. Colonel Dunne was commissioned in the Corps of Engineers upon graduation in 1923 from the U. S. Military Academy.

Army Finance Department—Lt. Col. Samuel E. Burns, Chief Military Personnel Division, OCF, has been selected to attend the Armed Forces Staff College, Ft. Monroe, Va., commencing Feb. 1950. Colonel Burns has been assigned to the Office Chief of Finance for over three years; the last year serving as Chief of the Military Personnel Division.

Unified Aviation Cadet—This is the story of Aviation Cadet Claude A. Brown, Jr., who already at 22 years of age has served with: (1) the Navy, underwater as a submariner, on the water in assault landing craft and in the water as a member of a demolition team; (2) with the Marine Corps, as an infantryman fighting the Japanese; (3) with the Army, through the air as a postwar paratrooper; and now finally with the Air Force at Randolph AFB, Tex.

He joined the Navy in 1943 when he was only 16 years old, and served aboard the submarine USS Tambor on Pacific war patrols. His age discovered, discharge was prepared, but a mixup in orders put him aboard an assault landing craft in Pacific invasions, among them the attack on Salipan where his boat was lost. Then, Cadet Brown became a Marine replacement and served for 32 days with a Marine Corps unit. Later, he served with an Under-Water Demolition Team at Iwo Jima. After the war, he attended junior college for a time, then drove a bulldozer and midget racer. Wanting more action, he became a Paratrooper in the Army's crack 82d Airborne Division and made 33 jumps before entering aviation cadet training. When he finishes this training, he will be entitled to wear pilot wings in addition to a submarine badge and paratrooper wings.

Army Dental Corps—Lt. Col. Alfred E. Toye, DC, Chief, Periodontia Section, Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., and Lt. Col. Joseph L. Bernier, DC, Chief, Dental and Oral Pathology Section, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Washington, D. C., have been notified they have successfully passed the examination of the American Board of Periodontology and are now Diplomates of that Board.

Lt. Col. Charles S. Winston, DC, has been relieved from duty at Ft. Jackson, S. C., and assigned to duty with the U. S. Army, Alaska, to sail from Seattle on or about 7 Feb. 1950. Col. Melville A. Sanderson, DC, who recently returned from the Far East Command, is now a patient at Walter Reed General Hospital.

Army Medical Corps—Col. John M. Caldwell, Jr., MC, Chief, Psychiatry and Neurology Consultants Division, OSG, will be an examiner for the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, which will meet in New York 5 and 6 Dec. to examine candidates for certification in those specialties.

Lt. Col. Stephen W. Ranson, MC, assistant chief, Psychiatry and Neurology Consultants Division, attended the meeting of the Association for Research in Nervous and Mental Diseases, held in New York City 1 and 2 Dec.

Veterinary Corps—Lt. Col. Russell McNeill, VC, Chief, Meat and Dairy Hygiene Branch, Veterinary Division, OSG, will be in Chicago 5, 6 and 7 Dec., to confer with veterinary officers at the Chicago Quartermaster Depot on the writing of the new Standard Inspection Procedures which will serve as a guide in the inspection and purchase of foods of animal origin in the future. Colonel McNeill will confer with Col. Elmer Young, VC, field veterinarian for the Quartermaster Corps Inspection Division, relative to inspection problems.

Watch on the Rhine—U. S. sailors who joined the Navy to "see the world," are getting a chance today at shipboard service right in the heart of Germany. Blue-jackets of the Navy's Rhine River Patrol are never far from land, but maintain their usual "salty" atmosphere by plying up and down the busy Rhine in USN patrol boats. Set up in February, 1949, to assist in support of the German economy and to aid navigation on the river, one of the busiest waterways in the world, the Patrol has eighty-eight officers and men manning fifteen patrol craft.

Infantry Center—Lt. Col. Odd Molster, one of Norway's top military emissaries, visited The Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., last week where he saw a display of infantry might, and toured the Infantry Center to witness first-hand improvements in American weapons. Colonel Molster's visit was arranged through the Department of Defense, which is cooperating with the Norwegian government in leading the colonel on a tour of American military installations.

Maj. Stephen J. Meade, former assistant military attache to the American legations in Beirut, Lebanon and Damascus, Syria, has arrived at Ft. Benning to assume duties as head of the newly formed Allied Liaison section of the Infantry School. He will act as Infantry School linguist for the numerous foreign dignitaries and students who visit Ft. Benning annually.

Quartermaster Corps—Col. Samuel W. Smithers, who recently returned from the European Command, has been assigned to the Atlanta General Depot for duty with the Industrial Mobilization Division. Lt. Col. Benjamin F. Wood has been assigned to Supply Division, OQMG, effective upon his return from the Far East Command in December. Lt. Col. Gordon W. Cook, presently on duty in OQMG, will attend the University of Maryland as a student.

Transportation Corps—Effective 15 Nov. the following changes in the organization, Office, Chief of Transportation, were announced: The Terminal Operations Division is redesignated "Terminal Operations and Installations Division." The Field Services Branch of the Supply & Facilities Division is redesignated the "Installations Branch" and transferred to the Terminal Operations and Installations Division. The Supply & Facilities Division has been redesignated the "Supply and Procurement Division."

Reproduction copies delineating the "History of the Transportation Corps, Volume I" have been received by the Office, Chief of Transportation for review purposes. The reproduced copies, received from the Historical Division, Department of the Army Special Staff, are the initial writings of which ultimately will be in three volumes. Mr. Chester C. Wardlow, Chief of the Transportation Corps Historical Branch, last week stated the book will go to the Government Printing Office once it is received by the Chief of Transportation and his staff. Mr. Wardlow as author of the history was assisted in its compilation by Dr. Harold H. Larson; Dr. Harold H. Dunham, Dr. James R. Masterson, and Capt. William H. Schmidt.

National Guard—Major combat units of the National Guard have virtually completed their organization. Eighteen of the National Guard's 27 Divisions have completed organization of all their component units, as have 15 of the Infantry Regimental Combat Teams. Of the 98 separate anti-aircraft battalions in the Guard troop basis, 59 are completely organized. Of the 588 units in the 98 battalions, 455 are organized.

Organization of all units in the Air National Guard was completed in May, 1949. Only 53 units remain to be organized to complete the 27 divisions and 12 to complete the 20 combat teams.

Shah Flies Bomber—Accompanied by Maj. Melvin H. Slate, operations officer, The Shah of Iran last week took off and landed a B-25 bomber at Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio. The Shah flew the plane for 25 minutes and was described by Major Slate as "a very fine pilot."

Service for Patients—At William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., M. Sgt. F. Wuenschel of the Ft. Bliss electronics department has inaugurated a noteworthy service for bedridden patients unable to go home for the holidays. Operator of a short wave radio station, Sergeant Wuenschel makes it possible for patients to talk with relatives for periods from 15 to 30 minutes. Patients use ward phones and do not have to leave their beds to talk over the radio-telephone device.

Army Field Forces—Formal retreat ceremonies at Ft. Monroe, Va., on 30 Nov. marked the retirement of Col. Lawrence E. Heyduck, who has completed more than 31 years' service. Assigned to the Army Ground Forces since 1946 and to the Office, Chief, Army Field Forces since it was established at Ft. Monroe, Colonel Heyduck was a member of the Training Section at the time of his retirement. He and Mrs. Heyduck will make their home in Ft. Worth, Tex.

Colonel Paul Elias, Developments Section Liaison Officer at Johns Hopkins University Laboratories, Silver Spring, Md., will confer with Brig. Gen. Rex W. Beasley, Assistant Chief for Developments, and other Developments Section officers on guided missile projects at Ft. Monroe, 15 to 17 Dec. Other recent visitors to the Office, Chief, Army Field Forces include Maj. Harold D. Hampton, Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., who attended a conference 28 Nov., in connection with the Ammunition Career Field and Maj. J. O. Thompson, Office, Chief of Ordnance, who attended a conference on ROTC Activation, 30 Nov.

Banshee-Photo—The Navy Inspector General has completed an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the mysterious appearance of an un-cleared Navy photograph in a downtown Washington, D. C., restaurant several months ago. The picture, taken from a great height by a Navy Banshee, appeared in enlarged form on the wall of the restaurant before it had been cleared by the office of public information. The Navy I. G. disclosed this week that "a Navy officer whose name will not be divulged" had given the photograph to the restaurant owner, but that the photo was "unclassified" and no punitive action was contemplated.

Army Chaplains—Former Chief of Army Chaplains, (Maj. Gen.), Luther D. Miller has joined the clergy staff of the Washington Cathedral as a Canon and member of the Presbytery. His retirement from the Regular Army became effective 30 Nov. Chief of Army Chaplains (Maj. Gen.), Roy H. Parker conducted Thanksgiving Day services at the National Baptist Memorial Church, Washington, D. C. Chaplain Parker began an inspection trip through the midwest, which started at Headquarters, Fifth Army, Chicago, Illinois, and will include stops at Ft. Riley and Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Pay Hike Hikes Rent—As a result of the recently approved pay raise for military personnel, and the consequent increase in quarters allowance, enlisted men at the Marine Base, Quantico, Va., have had their rent doubled. Prior to the pay raise, men living on the base were paying about \$37.50 per month for quarters, but the new law gave them a quarters allowance of \$67.50, so their rents were increased to that figure. Those occupying low-cost Navy housing off the base continue to pay their former low rentals, but receive the total quarters allowance of \$67.50.

Delay Flag Selection Announcement—The Navy captains who were recently picked for promotion to rear admiral won't know about it for awhile yet. Navy Secretary Mathews, out of town at the time the Selection Board completed its report, will have to wait for Defense Secretary Johnson to return from Europe before submitting the report to the President. But, even that is no simple matter. The President is now vacationing at Key West, and the report will have to be flown to Florida for final approval, and then back to Washington.

Finance Career Field

Maj. Gen. E. M. Foster, Army Chief of Finance, and the Army's Personnel and Administration Division this week announced implementation of the Finance Career Field—the sixth Army career field thus far introduced.

The Finance Career Field will have three job progression ladders: Fiscal, Disbursing and Audit Ladders, which rest upon a base ladder of two grades of Finance Clerks in E-3 and E-4.

General Foster said his office is presently preparing material which will be made available to Finance enlisted personnel to assist them in their self-preparation for promotion proficiency examinations.

Previously announced by the Army were Special Regulations covering the Food Service, Infantry, Artillery, Armored Cavalry and Military Engineering and Construction Career Fields.

The Finance Career Field, implemented by SR 650-135-1 represents the first all-Service career field regulatory introduced, the Food Service Career Field having served as the preliminary pilot model for the program.

The Finance Career Field introductory Special Regulation, like other career field Special Regulations, accomplishes these things:

a. Introduces the new Finance Career Field MOS.

b. Rescinds the old Finance MOS, restricts certain other MOS from further use to describe fiscal, disbursing, or auditing positions.

c. Amends appropriate T/O&E to introduce the new MOS and grades for Finance career field jobs in accord with the prescribed standards of authorization.

d. Provides instructions to all commanders of T/D units or installations as to the provision they must make in their T/D for fiscal, disbursing, or audit activities.

e. Prescribes the conversion of old MOS

to new career field MOS on individual records.

f. Governs the classification of individuals into the Finance Career Field.

g. Directs the reassignment to proper Finance positions of Finance Career Field personnel.

h. Requires the institution of efficiency reporting for Finance career field personnel.

i. Concentrates in the month of March 1950 the accomplishment of the administrative tasks of conversion of individual records and reporting of authorized and actual strength in terms of new MOS.

Maj. Gen. Sayler Retires

Maj. Gen. Henry B. Sayler, who retired from the Army on 30 Nov. after more than 38 years' service, his final assignment having been as Chief of the Ordnance Research and Development Division of the Office, Chief of Ordnance, was honored twice early this week by many close friends and associates.

On Tuesday evening in the Officers' Club of Ft. Leslie J. McNair, more than 300 of them greeted him in a colorful reception. In the receiving line with General Sayler were Mrs. Sayler and their daughter, Mrs. Hull. Among those present were: Lt. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenthal, Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans and Combat Operations; Maj. Gen. E. L. Ford, Chief of Ordnance; Maj. Gen. James Kirk; Maj. Gen. A. B. Quinton, Jr.; Brig. Gen. J. L. Holman; and Brig. Gen. J. K. Christmas.

In a brief ceremony in the Ordnance Office, Wednesday morning, General Sayler was presented with a handsome Ordnance Department escutcheon bearing a silver plaque inscribed to General Sayler "From his many friends in the Ordnance Department." General Ford made the presentation for General Sayler's Division.

Air Force Orders

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Calif, fr dy as Deputy CG thereof, and is asgd to Hq & Hq Sq, Western Air Def Force ConAC, Hamilton AFB, Calif, fr dy as CG thereof.

W M Morgan, USAF, is reld fr asgmt to Hq OOAMA, AMC, Hill AFB, Utah, fr dy as CG thereof, and is asgd to Hq & Hq Sq, Western Air Def Force, ConAC, Hamilton AFB, Calif, for dy as Deputy CG and CofS thereof.

Lieutenant Colonel

E W Keeling, USAF, Wash, DC, to 2758th Exper Wg, AMC, Kirtland AFB, NMex.

H M Nelson, USAF, Wash, DC, to 3620th AU Wg, AU, Tyndall AFB, Fla.

C M Parkin, Jr, CE (RA), March AFB, Calif, to 20th AF, FFAF.

W G Van Allen, CE (RA), Westover AFB, Mass, to 20th AF, FFAF.

J D Flashman, USAF, Wash, DC, to Hq Air Comd and Stn Sch, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

E W Killgore, USAF, Wash, DC, to 33d Ftr Wg, ConAC, Otis AFB, Mass.

Major

E R Zitar, USAF, Wash, DC, to Hq AMC, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

H J Gallagher, USAF, (Ch C), Mitchel AFB, NY, to AAC.

E H Heald, USAF, Wash, DC, to Hq USAF, Scty Sv, Brooks AFB, Tex.

D V Miller, USAF, Grenier AFB, NH, to dy sta at Louisville, Ky, for dy as Air Instr 165th Ftr Sq, Ky ANG.

P P Black, CE (ORC), Mitchel AFB, NY, to 36th Engr Cmbt Gp, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Captain

R M Glover, USAF, Wash, DC, to dy sta at Army Fin Sch, Goodfellow Blvd, St Louis, Mo.

A M LeVere, USAF (DC), Arlington, Va, to 2756th Base Med Com, AMC, Holloman AFB, NMex.

W H Toney, USAF (DC), Arlington, Va, to 97th Med Svs Sq, SAC, Biggs AFB, Tex.

L L Lutes, USAF (MC), Arlington, Va, to dy sta at Tulane Univ Grad Sch of Med, New Orleans, La.

R L Harter, USAF, Wash, DC, to 1100th Cas Sv Sq, Hq Comd, USAF Bolling AFB, DC.

F E Walker, USAF, Arlington, Va, to 3750th Sta Med Sq, AFTRC, Sheppard AFB, Tex.

W R Sheets, USAF, Wash, DC, to 1803d AACG Gp, MATS, Kelly AFB, Tex.

E DeHoff, CE (ORC), Kearny AFB, Nebr, to 4116th ASU, 4th Army Det, Ft Worth, Tex.

J M Donohoe, USAF, Wash, DC, to 1100th Cas Sv Sq, Hq Comd, USAF, Bolling AFB, DC.

D F Galney, USAF, Wash, DC, to 2758th Exper Wg, AMC, Kirtland AFB, NMex.

1st Lieutenant

O R Hill, USAF, Sandia Base, NMex, to 2758th Exper Wg, AMC, Kirtland AFB, N Mex.

J P Emerson, CE (ORC), MacDill AFB, Fla, to 6002d ASU, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

J E Lofton, USAF (MC), Arlington, Va, to Hq & Hq Sq, 3310th Sta Med Gp, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

F L Nelson, Jr, CE (ORC), F E Warren AFB, Wyo, to 2232d ASU, Sta Com, New Cumberland Gen Dep, New Cumberland, Pa.

E D Wippermann, USAF (MC), Arlington, Va, to dy sta at Cincinnati GH, Cincinnati, Ohio.

J L Wyatt, Jr, USAF (DC), Arlington, Va, to 27th Sta Med Gp, SAC, Bergstrom AFB, Tex.

2d Lieutenant

C W Grant, USAF, Arlington, Va, to 3820th AU Wg, AU, Tyndall AFB, Fla.

B W Rowe, USAF, Arlington, Va, to 3820th AU Wg, AU, Tyndall AFB, Fla.

As of the fol-named 2d Lts, USAF, is reld fr asgmt at Arlington, Va, and is asgd to 3820th AU Wg, AU, Tyndall AFB, Fla:

C W Holloway

D A McClain

USAF PROMOTIONS**1st Lt to Capt**

B M Seagren W S Kern
J C Brehm L A Drake, Jr
L R Stout R M Snell
R M Wagner E C Quigley
I L Oisteln R J Nicholson
R F Farrington M N Amundson
D L Copenhaver W D Power
J G Dwyer R C Wilkins
J E Boland Donald H Brown
C McMillan, Jr J O Cummings
S Tarbell, Jr F A Kelly
Merrill E Taylor R S Kane
Robert L Smith G W Kendall
Howard O Brown P M Cook, (MSC)
James L Taylor M B Erdmann, (AFNC)
J J Linck W O Jensen
John B Anderson B J McCarroll

2d Lt to 1st Lt

Katherine A Humm Victoria E Fox

AFUS PROMOTIONS**2d Lt to 1st Lt**

M E Hoy, USAFR (AFNC).

USAF APPOINTMENTS

DP announcement is made of the apmt as 2d Lts in the USAF, of the fol-named Distinguished Mil Grads of the Sr Div, ROTC: H G Butler T E Pearsall
M J Ward C L Montgomery, Jr
H W Paper S G Tefas
A J Walter, Jr F J Murphy
J H Napier, 3d D M Jenkins

AFUS APPOINTMENTS TO EAD

1st Lt E V Demeter, USAFR (MC), to 3563th Sta Med Sq, AFTRC, Connally AFB, Tex.

1st Lt R L Mueller, USAFR (DC), to 3525th Sta Med Sq, AFTRC, Williams AFB, Ariz.

2d Lt J P Gray, USAFR (MSC), to dy sta at Northwestern Univ Dental Sch, Chicago, Ill.

1st Lt J C Kern, USAFR (AFNC), to 3525th Sta Med Sq, AFTRC, Williams AFB, Ariz.

Capt L R Pummer, USAFR (MC), to 28th Bomb Wg, SAC, Rapid City AFB, SDak.

2d Lt J Thomson, USAFR (MSC), to 3380th Sta Med Sq, AFTRC, Keesler AFB, Miss.

ADVANCED ON AFUS OFFICERS**RETIRED LIST**

M/Sgt S T Bush, to Col.

ENLISTED RETIREMENTS

M/Sgt G Kunze M/Sgt W L Bean
M/Sgt L C McCart M/Sgt L E Gregory
M/Sgt C E Sharpnack M/Sgt D Wood
M/Sgt J B Wright T/Sgt J E Grider
T/Sgt E K Craddock T/Sgt R McGovern
M/Sgt A Zelewski T/Sgt J H Palmer
T/Sgt F Bye S/Sgt C E Anderson

CHANGE OF NAME

Maj Francis Albert Alexa, USAFR, to Alber Joseph Alexa.

Maj William J Salwocki, USAFR, to William J Salwocki, sr.

1st Lt Eleanor P Betts, USAFR (AFNC), to Eleanor Betts Cochran.

1st Lt Julian Richards Vidmer, Jr, USAF, to Richards Vidmer, Jr.

RESIGNED

Capt R R Rudd, USAF (MC).

1st Lt A E Grant, USAF.

Capt L Apter (1st Lt), USAF.

Marine Corps Orders

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Majors

Albert L Clark Edwin E Shifflett
William L Gunniss Murray Ehrlich
Robert E Lorigan Robert S Wilson
Robert A Scherr Elswin P Dunn
Arthur M Hale Charles H LeClair
John S Chambers, Jr Alebrt M Roebuck
Austin Wiggins, Jr G C Williams, Jr
T J Cushman, Jr Dennis P Casey
James L Jones Walter W Turner
John Marston, Jr James E Parsons
John Skinner, Jr

Captains

Alfred F Garroto James H McRoberts
Bryce Howerton Royce M Williams
Frank P Moran Oliver W Curtis
James H Rinehart James H Magill
Archie J Clapp Ray D Rushlow
Dwight F Johns, Jr John L Herndon
Marvin R Russell Ernest A Mitch
Arnold B Capps Boyd M Phelps
John McNamur James W Brashay
Robert R Roy Charles J Irwin, Jr
F J Heiling, Jr William R Morrison
T J Johnston, Jr William C Bell
Homer B Pettit, Jr John G Heidrick
Bruce A Rushlow Emmons S Maloney
Jack Dunlap Thomas M Sagar

1st Lieutenants

Carl Pedersen, Jr Robert J Perrich
Richard M Ulf William J Schreier
The following officers have accepted appointments (temporary rank) in the Marine Corps in the indicated ranks:

Lt Colonel

Richard L Boll

Captains

Lester D Flory R J Vroegindewey
Charles J O'Malley Dwight E Mayo
William H Drewitz G L Wineriter
Samuel F Leader W J Nichols, Jr
Cornelius Overstreet

100th Inf. Division

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USS Ernest G Small.

Norman E Chalmers, NavScol, Monterey; to USS William M Wood.

James A Corrick, Jr, (SC), NavSupCen, Pearl Harbor; to NavResearch and DevFac, Bayonne.

John H Craven (ChC), MarCorpsCruitDepot, Parris Island; to 2dMarDiv, FMF.

Paul Gano, NavScol, Monterey; to USS Soley.

Gordon S Hawkins, NavScol, Monterey; to USS Fechteler.

Albert P Hilar, NavOps; to Off of AsstUS NavAttache for Research, London.

Bruce K Lloyd, Jr, FASRon 108; to OpDev ForLant.

Charles N Shane, NavScol, Monterey; to PacDivMATS.

Ray C Tindall (ChCR)NR, NavHosp, Key West; to MSTS, Gulf, New Orleans.

Lieutenants

Earl F Armstrong, NavExaminingBoard (Supply), Navy Dept, tempduty; to WestSea Front.

James A Brownsberger, NavAirTechTra Unit, Olathe tempduty; to GCAUnit #22.

Marie A Canouse, Home; to MSTS, Atlantic, Brooklyn.

Helen R Dickinson, NavMedUnit, Tripler GenHosp, Oahu; to NavHosp, Great Lakes.

George Feller, Jr (ChC), 2dMarDiv, FMF; to Barstow Annex (MarCorps Depot of Supplies, San Fran, Calif), Barstow.

Alfred Forbord, GuamMemorialHosp, Guam; to NavHosp, Long Beach.

Frederick J Heller, NavScol (GenLine), Monterey; to USS Hobson.

Arthur H Jones, NavScol Electronics, Nav Sta, Treasure Isl; to Staff, Commander Marianas.

Allen N Lester, PatRon 24; to Office of PubInfo, Office of Sec Def, Wash, DC.

John W Lutzelman, NAAS, Chincoteague; to BuPers, tempduty pending assignment.

Frank W McKay, NavSupDepot, Guam; to NavSupCen, Oakland.

Ward L Patterson, NavSta, Adak; to USS Nantahala.

Jerry C Ragon, NAD, McAlester; to 1stMar Div, FMF.

Edwina C Todd, NavHosp, St Albans; to NavHosp, Phila.

Mae D Arata, NavCommSta, Wash, DC; to MSTS, Atlantic, Brooklyn.

Broughton J Barber, ServPac, tempduty; to USS Mount Katmai.

Alex T Becker, USS Repose; to USS Hector.

Howard G Bentall, NavScol, GenLine, Monterey; to NavAirFac, Oppama.

Raymond A Bertrand, SubGruThree, Fla Gru, LantResFit; to USS Marias.

Alexander Bowdie, Jr, SanFranGru, PacResFit; to NavHosp, Oakland.

Adorah J Braden, NavHosp, Guam; to NavMedUnit, TriplerGenHosp, Oahu.

Donald E Compton, USS Forrest Royal; to SND.

Kenneth M Culver, USS Kennebec; to San FranGru, PacResFit.

Elizabeth Elias, Guam Memorial Hospital, Guam; to NavHosp, Jacksonville.

Clyde G Gardner, Jr, PatRon 48; to NavAirAdvTraComd, Corpus Christi.

Evelyn D Glancy, NavHosp, Oceanside; to NAS, Kodiak.

William H Hardcastle, Jr, USS Tanager; to USS Juneau.

Knute A Johnson, USS Pasadena; to NavDamageControlTraCen, Treasure Isl, San Fran.

Leo F Kucharski, USS Marquette; to NavSupDepot, Bayonne.

Harold E Layman, NavCommUnit No 34; to NavCommSta, Wash, DC.

Ian M Laird, NavScol, GenLine, Monterey; to UnderwayTraUnit, San Diego.

Malcolm R Massie, CruitTraComd, NavTra Cen, San Diego; to NavOperations tempduty pending assignment.

Donald L Milt, NavCenFreightControl Office, Oakland; to BuSandA.

Donald D Nelson, USS Achernar; to Tacomra, PacResFit.

William J Owens, USS Monongahela; to SND tempduty pending assignment.

Winifred Thomas, NavHosp, Guam; to NavMedUnit, TriplerGenHosp, Oahu.

William W Yongue, USS Hyades; to SND.

C.G. at Camp Gordon

Brig. Gen. Halley G. Maddox, Assistant Chief of Staff, Plans and Operations Division, Third Army, has been designated Interim Commanding General of Camp Gordon, Ga.

General Maddox will succeed Brig. Gen. Truman C. Thorson, who will leave soon for a tour of duty in Germany. General Maddox will serve during the transfer of the Fifth Infantry Division from Fort Jackson to Camp Gordon which will come in, echelon by echelon, beginning 12 Dec.

After the transfer has been completed sometime late in February, Maj. Gen. George Henry Decker, present Commanding General of the Fifth Division, will probably take over the command at Camp Gordon.

Army to Buy Tanks

General J. Lawton Collins, Chief of Staff of the Army, announced at a press conference on Wednesday that the Army would procure a substantial number of new light tanks, of an advanced design, for reconnaissance units of infantry divisions. At the same time it will also procure a pilot model of a new medium tank. Because of the expense involved no medium tanks will be ordered until complete field tests of the pilot model are completed.

Some time ago General Collins said that tanks now in Army service are inferior to those of the Russians, but that we have tank designs more advanced than those of any other army. Because of budgetary limitations the Army has been unable to arrange for quantity production of the new tanks.

The light tanks to be procured are of 28 tons and are fast and elusive. They have the same fire control and certain other equipment as the 35-ton medium tank, so that a training test of the light tank will to some extent serve as a test of some of the equipment of the medium tank. The medium tank is the work horse of the Armored formations. It is the standard weapon of the Armored battalions of the infantry division, and provides much of the equipment of the Armored division. It is important, therefore, that a program of procuring new medium tanks be adopted promptly.

General Collins said that the Army does not have any present plans for the early procurement of heavy tanks in quantity. There is an approved design of a 50-ton tank that should be highly satisfactory. However, priority will be given to medium and light tanks, as they are more urgently needed to meet our present military requirements.

In response to queries of the press, General Collins said that considerable progress was being made with designs of new and improved weapons, but quantity purchases of most types had not been made. He said a new rifle had been designed, but that it was doubtful that the highly satisfactory M-1 would be replaced at any time soon.

In this connection General Collins said that a serious study was being made of the possible utilization of atom bombs in connection with infantry tactics. The general did not elaborate on his statement, but it has been surmised that a relatively small atom bomb might be developed, with a limited zone of destruction, which could be used both offensively and defensively—with ground operations.

General Collins said that he wanted to see greater emphasis placed on airborne training and equipment. Since the war, considerable progress has been made in air drops of heavy equipment, but the general felt there was still much room for improvement in all phases of airborne operations.

The general said that the strengthening of Alaskan defenses depended in large measure on adequate housing for troops and their families in that outpost. He said that the Joint Chiefs of Staff had approved a defense plan for Alaska that he felt would prove adequate. The general was particularly pleased over the recent Congressional authorization for housing in that territory, and said that the funds appropriated were sufficient to provide a good start on this important project.

Commenting on the recent meeting of Army commanders in Washington, General Collins said it was the purpose of the Army to decentralize much of its operations to the field. He said a study was now being made on the advisability of a unified command for the defense of the industrial east and middle west, in the event of an emergency. The entire western part of the United States is embraced within the Sixth Army area, but the industrial sections of the east are within the areas of the First, Second and Fifth Armies. During World War II this section of the country was included in the Eastern Defense Command, but some authorities feel that this organization would not be entirely suited to a future emergency.

However, the general added that under current plans any Army commander has complete authority to take immediate appropriate action, without awaiting instructions from higher authority, in the event of a hostile attack or other emergency occurring in his command area.

1950 Legislative Plans

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hesitate to initiate large apartment house projects at or near military installations. A long-term lease to the Government would protect the individual contractor from losses occasioned through vacancies and increased costs of maintenance.

Discussing other legislative projects which he expects will crystalize later, Secretary Johnson wrote:

Reserve Components

"The recently established Civilian Components Policy Board has made exceptional progress in approaching the problems incident to the reserve systems of the Army, Navy, and Air Force. It is now clear that some legislation to implement their recommendations will be necessary. The details and extent of our legislative requirements in this field cannot be determined at this time. However, it appears that proposals will be offered for your approval providing for the common Federal appointment of reserve officers, for the establishment of an augmented reserve officers' training corps program, and probably basic legislation applicable to all branches of the service providing the legislative authorizations necessary for the organization of their reserve forces."

Officer Personnel Act

"Last July I instituted, at the suggestion of the Bureau of the Budget, a long term Officer Personnel Act study under the direction of the Chairman of the Personnel Policy Board looking to comprehensive Officer Personnel legislation. Because of the urgency of certain proposals I have also authorized the Board to prepare and submit to me for approval such emergency Officer Personnel Act Amendments as it may deem to be necessary before completion of the over-all studies. When they have been received and concurred in by me, they will be submitted also."

Academies

"Dr. Stearns' Service Academy Advisory Board is making a study of this matter and their recommendations should be completed within a few weeks. It may be possible for us to submit in the near future a complete revision of the statutes affecting the existing academies, as well as the proposed 'third' or 'Air Force' academy."

New Legislation

New legislative proposals which were not before the first session and which it is planned, if the Bureau of the Budget concurs, to submit after 3 Jan., includes the following:

Berlin Airlift Medal

To authorize U. S. personnel to accept decorations offered by foreign governments (British and French) for participation in the Berlin Airlift.

Cemeteries

To provide for the expansion and disposition of certain national cemeteries.

Summary Suspension of Employees

To permit the summary suspension of employment of civilian officers and employees of various departments and agencies of the Government. This bill, designed to protect the national security, provides that, under certain circumstances, the employee concerned may be advised of the reasons for his suspension and that after 30 days he may submit a statement with arguments for restoration to his former position.

Claims

To amend previous laws so as to authorize payment of claims arising from the correction of military or naval records.

Another project would broaden the Military Personnel Claims Act of 1945 so as to extend its privileges to all military and civilian personnel of the Department of Defense and to extend the statute of limitations to two years in peace-time.

Contract Settlement

To authorize the Department to make final settlements of claims arising from terminated contracts.

Decorations and Awards

To extend the time limitations with respect to certain World War II decorations in order that the military departments may consider recommendations for

decorations involving acts occurring during the war which, because of circumstances, could not be considered prior to the expiration of the time limitation set in the Act of June 25, 1946.

Dental Treatment for Dependents

To provide for dental treatment at overseas bases for the dependents of Naval and Marine Corps personnel and for certain other civilians and their dependents to be charged for at rates to be prescribed by the President.

Disbursing Officers

To make permanent the provisions of the Act of 23 December 1944 authorizing certain transactions by disbursing officers.

Foreign Military Missions

To authorize the President, whenever in his discretion, the public interest renders such a course advisable, and upon request from foreign governments, to provide military missions comprising Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Army and Coast Guard personnel, as required, to assist foreign governments in an advisory capacity.

Lease of Housing

To authorize the Secretaries of Army, Navy and Air Force to lease property and facilities for assignment as public quarters using as part payment funds appropriated for the payment of rental allowances to service personnel.

Land and Property

To authorize specific land and property transactions.

Military-Amateur Radio

To authorize the extension and operation of the Military-Amateur Radio System.

Omnibus Bill

To authorize the Department to reproduce and sell certain records; prepare official registers of officers of the Army, Navy and Air Force; engage in mapping and charting activities; provide for instruction, education and recreation of Armed Forces personnel; provide for the replacement of Gold Star lapel buttons, and for other purposes.

Missing Persons Act

To amend the Missing Persons Act relating to travel by dependents and transportation of household effects. (Under a restrictive interpretation by the Comptroller General it will be necessary to make collections from widows and other survivors unless legal correction is made.)

Philippine Scouts

To authorize the President to convey the U. S. Army Provisional Philippine Scout Hospital at Ft. McKinley to the Republic of the Philippines and to assist the Republic in providing medical care and treatment for Philippine Scouts hospitalized therein.

Point of Order Bill

To enact into permanent law certain provisions now included in the Department of Defense Appropriation Act.

Recreation Programs

To authorize the Secretaries to provide for the promotion and maintenance of civilian recreation programs.

Research and Development

To facilitate the performance of research and development work by and on behalf of the Departments of the Army, Navy, and Air Force. This legislation is designed to authorize research and development programs in all the military Departments.

Reserve Uniform Allowances

To provide for initial uniform and equipment reimbursement to the officers of the reserve components of each of the three services in the amount of \$150 upon the fulfillment of certain conditions, and thereafter periodical reimbursements of \$50 each for each four years of service with an additional reimbursement of \$100 for extended active duty or other full time duty in time of war or national emergency.

Selective Service Act

To extend the Selective Service Act for three years. It is noted "that the Selective Service System, by its mere existence, stimulates voluntary enlistments, and that without such a system in being, such voluntary enlistments would undoubtedly decrease in number."

Surplus Property for Training

Civilian Components

To authorize the Administrator, Gen-

eral Services Administration, to dispose of surplus property to States and political subdivisions thereof, without reimbursement, for use in training civilian components of the Army Forces.

Vinson-Trammel Act

To repeal the aircraft and ship construction limitations contained in the Vinson-Trammel Act.

Holdover Bills

Legislation left from the first session of the 81st Congress, which Secretary Johnson urges be enacted by the second session includes the following:

Service Academies

To amend the law relating to the U. S. Military Academy and US Naval Academy.

Also the bill to provide for the establishment of an additional Service Academy.

Leave

Legislation to provide that leave actually taken during any fiscal year may be charged to leave accruing during such fiscal year without regard to the 60 day limitation except that no cash settlement shall be made for unused or accumulated leave in excess of 60 days upon discharge or retirement subsequent to 31 Aug. 1946.

Armories Construction Bill

To provide armories and other facilities for the reserve components.

Army and Air Force Act

To authorize the composition of the Army of the United States and the Air Force of the United States.

Nurses

To provide for appointment under certain conditions, of nurses with World War II service who are more than 35 years of age.

Army Organization

Providing a permanent statutory basis for the organization of the Department of the Army.

Civil Air Patrol

To establish the Civil Air Patrol as a civilian auxiliary of the U. S. Air Force.

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Service Schools

To authorize the attendance of civilians at service schools.

Flight Bonus

To terminate lump-sum benefits provided by law to certain Reserve officers of the Navy and Air Force.

Housing

To authorize the construction of single or duplex type family quarters.

Inter-Service Transfers

To provide for inter-service transfer of Commissioned personnel.

Leave Credits

To authorize leave credit which was denied officers retired and retained on active duty and officers separated from the Naval or Marine Corps Reserve after 8 Sept. 1939 to accept commissions.

Women Doctors

To provide for the appointment of female doctors and specialists in the Medical Department of the Army.

Military Justice

To unify, consolidate, revise, etc., the Articles of War, the Articles for the Government of the Navy, and the disciplinary laws of the Coast Guard.

Naval Reserves

To clarify the status of inactive members of the Naval Reserve relating to holding offices under the government.

Generals and Admirals

Revising the forced retirement provisions for flag and general officers of Navy and Marine Corps.

Navy Lawyers

To authorize appointment in Navy of additional officers for special duty in field of law.

Institute of Pathology

To authorize plans for construction of an Armed Forces Institute of Pathology building.

Public Works Bill

The housing and construction bill for all services.

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MRS. Gordon Gray, wife of the Secretary of the Army, will be the guest of honor at a luncheon for Washington area and Ft. Belvoir wives of active, retired and deceased officers of the Corps of Engineers on 6 Dec., at 12:30 p.m., at the Ft. McNair Officers' Club. Mrs. Lewis A. Pick, wife of the Chief of Engineers will preside.

A Christmas tree, colorfully trimmed, holly and evergreens will decorate the attractive ballroom of the Club.

Mrs. William R. Smith, business manager of the Margaret Carr Thomas Decorating Shop, located in the Chequire House, Alexandria, Va., is in charge of a Hobby Show of hand-made gifts, toys, Christmas cards, art, leather work and other interesting items which will be contributed by the Engineer wives. Mrs. Howard G. Hill, a concert artist, will entertain the luncheon guests with vocal selections. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Sam S. Williams.

Reservations may be made by contacting Mrs. E. E. Kirpatrick, Emerson 5887.

General J. Lawton Collins, Army Chief of Staff, and Mrs. Collins entertained at a dinner at their quarters at Ft. Lesley J. McNair on the evening of 28 Nov., honoring the Army Commanders, who are currently in Washington for their annual meeting. The guests were the Secretary of the Army and Mrs. Gordon Gray, the Assistant Secretary of the Army and Mrs. Tracy Voorhees, the Assistant Secretary of the Army and Mrs. Archibald S. Alexander, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Wade H. Haislip, General and Mrs. Mark W. Clark, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Alfred M. Gruenthal, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Matthew B. Ridgway, Lt. Gen. Walter B. Smith, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Leonard T. Gerow, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. A. C. Gillem, Jr., Lt. Gen. LeRoy Lutes, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Stephen J. Chamberlin, Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, Lt. Gen. Henry S. Aurand, Lt. Gen. Manton S. Eddy, and Lt. Gen. John R. Hodge.

On the evening of 29 Nov. General and Mrs. Collins entertained a group of British and American guests at a dinner at their home in honor of Field Marshal

SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS



The engagement of Miss Joanne Dossett of Ft. Worth, Tex., (left) to Lt. Maurice M. Benitez, USAF, has been announced and a wedding on 18 Dec. is planned. Married 4 Nov. at the Presidio of San Francisco was the former Miss Dorothy Alice Carruth (right), daughter of Col. and Mrs. John H. Carruth, wed to Capt. Ralph H. Potter, Jr., MC, USA.

Sir William Joseph Slim, Chief of Staff of the British Army, and Lord Wavell.

Col. and Mrs. Aristides Moreno have come from New York City recently to make their home in Washington and are staying at the Westchester.

Col. and Mrs. Lee V. Harris have returned to St. Paul, Minn., after spending Thanksgiving week in Washington.

A christening and reception was held in honor of Chester Clay Halloway, 3d, youngest son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Chester Clay Halloway, Jr., in their home at Falls Church, Va., Sunday, 27 Nov. Maj. Gen. Luther Miller performed the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Parker of Janesville, Wisc., were the child's sponsors. The grandparents on the maternal side are Col. James B. Mann, DC-Ret., and Mrs. Mann, and great-grandparents are the late Col. Frank E. Hopkins and Mrs. William O. Baldwin, of Burlington, Vt. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Halloway of Clermont, Fla.

Weddings and Engagements

Col. George W. Morris, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Morris of Camp Hill, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ens. Catharine Morris, Waves, USN to Lt. Clarence W. McKee, USN, son of Mrs. Clarence W. McKee and the late Mr. McKee, of Phoenix, Ariz.

Ensign Morris is a graduate of the Pennsylvania State College, where she was a charter member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. Lieutenant McKee attended the University of California and is presently stationed at the U. S. Naval School, General Line, Newport, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Stacey of Des Moines, Iowa announce the engagement of their daughter, Lorraine, to Hugh Chapman Minton, Jr., son of Brig. Gen. Hugh C. Minton, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Minton of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Stacey, a graduate of the State University of Iowa, is Director of the Women's Division of the Industrial Recreation Federation of the Y.W.C.A. of New Haven, Conn.

Mr. Minton, a graduate of Carnegie Institute of Technology, is metallurgist at the Winchester Repeating Arms Co., New Haven.

Miss Charlotte Shilling, daughter of Capt. Charles W. Shilling, (MC), USN and Mrs. Shilling of Arlington, Va., has chosen 28 Dec. as the date of her marriage to Emile Simonel, son of Mrs. Margaret Simonel, of Detroit, Mich. Both Miss Shilling and Mr. Simonel are students at Oberlin Conservatory of Music, at Oberlin.

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lin, Ohio. They will be married at 4:30 p.m. in the Naval Communications Chapel, Washington, D. C.

Lt. Verna Mae Boulware, ANC, a member of the faculty of Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, was married 19 Nov., to Mr. Emmanuel Wadell, attorney-at-law in San Antonio. The ceremony was performed by Capt. J. R. Shuman, Chaplain at Brooke General Hospital, at his home.

The ceremony, attended by Mrs. W. M. Struggs, sister of the bride, Maj. Albert Hermann, friend of the groom, and a few close friends, was followed by a wedding breakfast held at the Fort Sam Houston Officers' Club. One hundred guests were present.

The couple will make their home at 238 El Monte Blvd., San Antonio.

At a candlelight ceremony in Grace Church, Providence, R. I., on 26 Nov., Miss Nancy Eddy Haley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams Haley of Blackstone Boulevard, Providence, became the bride of Alexander Gorden Lyle Jr., son of Vice Adm. Alexander G. Lyle, USN-Ret., and Mrs. Lyle, of Black Point Farm, Portsmouth, R. I. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Clarence H. Horner, rector of Grace Church. A reception at the bride's home followed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, a graduate of the Mary C. Wheeler School in Providence and the Newport, R. I. Hospital School of Nursing, made her debut in Providence. Mr. Lyle attended Moses Brown School and Brown University in Providence and served with the Navy in the Pacific during the war. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle will live in Boston.

On 5 Nov., at the Mission San Carlos de Borromeo Carmel, Calif., Mrs. Alida Browne Constant was married to 1st Lt. Raymond Godfrey Lehman, Jr.

Mrs. Lehman is the daughter of Col. (ret.) and Mrs. Boyer Brockenbrough Brown. Lt. Lehman is the son of Maj. Gen. (ret.) and Mrs. Raymond Godfrey Lehman and the brother of Mrs. Butler, wife of Capt. D. A. Butler of Camp Lee, Va.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Fort Ord Officers' Club. Lt. and Mrs. Lehman left during the reception for a wedding trip to Hawaii, and upon their return in December will reside in Carmel. Lt. Lehman is assigned to the 22nd Infantry, Fort Ord, Calif.

Mrs. George Kellogg Hooker was married on Thanksgiving Day in Paris, France to Walton Jerome MacConnell. She is the former Jo Bobbie Innes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Innes and widow of Captain Hooker, USMC, a World War II hero. The bride and also her husband, are from La Jolla and another Californian, Lt. Col. Samuel Bogan, USMC-Ret., was the donor of the exquisite Chinese brocade from which her wedding gown was fashioned. The material in shell pink, is reputedly 200 years old. It was made into a gown with plunging neckline and regal, rolled collar. With this the bride wore a small mink hat, brown accessories and she carried a muff of flowers.

After a honeymoon in Paris the MacConnells will be at home in Switzerland where Mrs. MacConnell's young son, Kelly Jo Hooker, who is with them, will attend school.

Col. and Mrs. Barth R. DeGraff, USA, General Headquarters, Tokyo, Japan, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Shirley A. DeGraff, to Lt. Harold Pitchford at the Post Chapel, Camp Sendai, Japan on 12 Nov.

Miss DeGraff attended Monticello Junior College, Godfrey, Ill., and Purdue University where she was a member of the Alpha Chi Omega Sorority. She is a graduate of the Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School of Providence, R. I., and has been a civilian employee of the IX Corps, U. S. Army, Sendai, Japan.

Lieutenant Pitchford is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is pres-

ently on duty with IX Corps, Headquarters.

After a brief wedding trip to Southern Japan the couple will be at home in Camp Sendai. They will leave shortly for Lieutenant Pitchford's new station, Camp Holabird, Md.

Brig. General John H. Wilson, Ret., and Mrs. Wilson have announced the marriage of their daughter, Joy, to Dr. Robert Stewart Ely, son of Dr. and Mrs. Orriman Stewart Ely of St. Paul, Minn.

The ceremony, solemnized at high noon Thanksgiving Day, was read by Rev. Laird V. Loveland in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Salt Lake City, Utah, and was attended by immediate family members and close friends.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a tailored wool suit of navy and gray tones, accented by a small hat of winter white felt trimmed with feathers. Her accessories were of spruce blue suede and her corsage, white camellias.

Mrs. Franklin J. Allen, as matron of honor, was attired in a dusty beige suit with royal blue accessories and deep red camelia corsage.

Dr. Erwin Goldenberg, Fontana, Calif., served as best man and ushers were Dr. William Erickson, Dr. Patrick Bray and Franklin J. Allen.

After a wedding trip to Sun Valley, Idaho, Dr. and Mrs. Ely will return to Salt Lake City, and Mrs. Ely will continue her studies at the University of Utah College of Medicine from which she will graduate in June. She was graduated from the Univ. of Utah with honors in 1946. While on the campus she affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma and was elected to the Mortor Board, Cwean, Spurs, Alpha Lambda Delta, Psi Chi and Trotters. She was the first girl to serve as Junior Prom Chairman and Homecoming chairman and was listed two consecutive years in "Who's Who in American Colleges." She also served as artist and cartoonist on the college publications.

Dr. Ely received his B.S. degree at the Univ. of Minnesota in 1942 and his M.D. from the same university in 1945. He served his internship at the Salt Lake City General Hospital, and after nearly two years with the Medical Corps of the Navy in China, he returned to Salt Lake City where he is now a resident research associate in the Pediatrics Dept. of the General Hospital.

The first of the year Dr. Ely will leave for a two months' research in polio at Harvard University, under a fellowship awarded him by the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis.

The marriage of Miss Mary McConnell to 1st Lt. John C. Burney, Executive Officer of Headquarters Troop, First Constabulary Brigade was pronounced in an informal ceremony at the Camp Lindsay Chapel in Wiesbaden, Germany, on 12 Nov. The afternoon service, conducted by Chaplain J. K. Jung, was witnessed by some 60 friends of the bride and groom stationed in Wiesbaden and Fritzlar.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McConnell of Jackson Heights, Long Island, was dressed in blue and wore a hat of white feathers. She was attended by Mrs. James Owens, matron of honor. Lt. Donald G. Albright, of the 16th Constabulary Squadron in Berlin, acted as best man.

Following the ceremony, the bride and groom left the church under an arch of crossed sabers and mounted an armored reconnaissance car for the drive through Wiesbaden to the reception, held at the home of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Arthur G. Trudeau, CG, First Constabulary Brigade. Following the cutting of the three-tier cake and toasting the bride and groom with champagne, the couple left for a 15 day honeymoon in France and the Riviera.

The marriage climaxed a week of parties and showers for the bride and groom, given since Miss McConnell's arrival from the U. S. on 5 Nov. She attended Allegheny College in Pennsylvania and was graduated from Pratt Institute Art School. Lt. Burney, from Springfield, Mass., has served in the European Command since August, 1947, after his graduation from the U. S. Military Academy in 1946. He has acted as platoon leader and company commander in the First

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Battalion, 14th Armored Cavalry and as Hqs. Troop Executive for First Brigade Headquarters in Wiesbaden.

Miss Nancy Lee Sears, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Ralph Randolph Sears, formerly of Baltimore, Md., was married 10 Nov. in the Yokohama Chapel Center to Capt. Allen Hale Nottingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reul Nottingham, of Nashville, Tenn. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain (Lt. Col.) W. C. Shure, Eighth Army Chaplain.

Miss Virginia Watts, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Harry L. Watts, of Portsmouth, Va., was maid of honor, and Mrs. Gayle W. McFadden, of San Antonio, Tex., was matron of honor. Other attendants were Miss Christine Stovall, of Fort Monroe, Va., and Mrs. Robert A. Walsh, of Baltimore.

Capt. Gayle W. McFadden, of Eighth Army Headquarters, was best man. Ushers were Capt. Robert Britt and Maj. J. C. Blair, Eighth Army Comptroller Section; Maj. Clark Thaler, G-4 Section; Maj. V. C. Guerin and Maj. R. J. Bennett, G-1 Section; Capt. George Sammet, 25th Inf. Div. Public Information Officer; and Maj. R. T. Neumann, G-3 Section.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the New Grand Hotel at Yokohama, after which the couple left for a honeymoon at the Kawano Rest Hotel.

Miss Sears, a graduate of Randolph-Macon Woman's College at Lynchburg, Va., class of 1947, has been employed by the Information Section, Eighth Army Headquarters. Captain Nottingham was graduated from the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala., class of 1942 and is assigned to the Eighth Army G-3 Section.

POSTS AND STATIONS

FORT DAVIS, CANAL ZONE. Brig. Gen. Eliot D. Cooke, Commanding General of the Atlantic Sector, addressed the various Ladies Clubs of the Atlantic Sector, at a regularly scheduled luncheon held 10 Nov. in the Fort Davis Officers Club. The topic of his address was "Customs of the Service." Mrs. Fred G. Steinor, President of the Fort Davis Women's Club presided. The hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Raymond O. Manasco and Mrs. Paul A. McCrillis.

FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEXAS. More than 100 active and retired Field Artillery officers are expected to attend the dinner to be held at the Fourth Army Officers' Club, Sunday, 4 Dec., to celebrate the natal day of Saint Barbara, the Field Artillery's patron saint. Col. J. K. Boles (Ret.) will act as master of ceremonies and Maj. Gen. Joseph Swing, Fort Sill, is listed as the principal and only speaker of the evening. Lt. Gen. LeRoy Lutes, commander of the Fourth Army, Maj. Gen. A. D. Bruce, deputy commander, Brig. Gen. Jess Balmer, Fort Bliss, and Brig. Gen. Robert Montague, Sandia Base, have been invited as guests of honor.

The committee in charge of the dinner: Brig. Gen. A. McIntyre, (Ret.), chairman; Brig. Gens. Isaac Spalding, (Ret.), Herbert S. Clarkson, (Ret.), Charles R. Lehner, (Ret.), Col. Samuel White, (Ret.), Lt. Col. H. E. Brooks, Lt. Col. E. A. Walker and Capt. A. L. Lerch, Jr.

ARMY BASE, BOSTON, MASS. Col. Eduardo Andino, who retired from the Army 31 Oct. after more than 32 years service was honored with a farewell dinner party recently at the Navy Officers' Club. Colonel Andino, who's last active duty assignment was as senior division instructor, 94th Infantry Division, ORC, is returning to his home in Puerto Rico.

The party was held in the Old Salt Box and among those attending were Brig. Gen. R. A. Palladino, Commanding General 94th Infantry Division; Brig. Gen. R. C. Dean, Commanding General 94th Division Artillery; Col. Frank A. Jones, Senior Army Instructor ORC for Massachusetts; and Col. G. W. Gibson, Chief of Staff, 94th Infantry Division.

82d AIRBORNE DIVISION. Lt. Col. Howard Person, Jr., recently assumed command of the 80th Airborne Anti-Aircraft Battalion. A graduate of the U. S. Military Academy in the Class of 1936, Colonel Persons saw duty during the war with the 34th Anti-Aircraft Brigade in the European and Mediterranean Theaters of Operation. With his unit he took part in the Sicilian, Tunisian, Rome-Arno, Southern France, Ardennes and Central European campaigns. Among Colonel Persons' decorations are the Legion of Merit, and the French Croix de Guerre with one Bronze and one Gold Star.

NEW ORLEANS POE. Col. A. D. Higgins, Deputy Port Commander, was guest speaker

at a luncheon of the Rotary Club of Hammond, La., 9 Nov.

Lt. Col. Eugene J. McNamara, TC, upon his arrival from Japan, has been assigned as Acting Assistant Inspector General for NOPE. Lt. Col. McNamara had been Water Superintendent with the 11th Major Port and the 2d Major Port in the Tokyo areas of Japan. He has previously served in Transportation installations in Prince Rupert, British Columbia, and the Seattle Port of Embarkation.

ELLINGTON AFB, TEXAS. On 22 Nov. the Officers' Wives' Club held their regular luncheon and business meeting. During the course of the meeting plans were discussed for extending the base nursery hours to include the week-end as well as holidays and activity nights. Plans for a children's Christmas party were discussed and a tentative date set for 22 Dec.

Mrs. Starkey, wife of Col. B. T. Starkey, Commanding Officer, gave a talk on "Manners and Customs of the Air Force Wife," which proved as informative as it was interesting. Mrs. Gayle Nold is club president.

BAD KREUZNACH, GERMANY. Capt. and Mrs. Clarke Baldwin, Liaison Officer to the French Army of Occupation from Headquarters, First Constabulary Brigade, entertained officers and ladies of the American and French armies at an Armistice Day luncheon on 11 Nov.

Guests from the American Army, all from Headquarters, First Constabulary Brigade in Wiesbaden included: Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Trudeau, Col. and Mrs. Hayden Sears, Mrs. Harold Sears, Col. and Mrs. Keasey, Maj. and Mrs. Bautz, Maj. and Mrs. Bushey, Maj. Mullen, Maj. and Mrs. Burke, Maj. and Mrs. Murphy, and Maj. Lansford.

OLIVER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GA. Col. Charles L. Leedham, MC, Chief of Medical Service, addressed the faculty and student body of the School of Aviation Medicine, Randolph Field, Texas, 30 Nov. and 1 Dec. His subjects were "Neurocirculatory Asymmetry," and "Rheumatic Fever in Young Adults."

ST. THOMAS, VIRGIN ISLANDS. Capt. Alton K. Smith and Maj. Arnold C. Breuning have recently joined San Jose Project. Captain Smith has been assigned duty as Special Service Officer and Troop Information and Education Officer.

Lt. Gen. William H. H. Morris, Commanding General, Caribbean Command, and Brig. Gen. Edwin L. Silbert, Commanding General, U. S. Army Forces, Antilles, were official visitors at San Jose Project on 10 Nov. General Morris and his party were met by an escort of honor composed of members of Headquarters Detachment, San Jose Project. On 12 Nov. San Jose Project was honored by the presence of Maj. Gen. H. Feldman, The Quartermaster General. General Feldman and his party inspected Quartermaster facilities.

ALBROOK AFB, C. Z. Capt. Jack L. Mercer, Assistant Air Operations Officer of the 1806th Airways and Air Communications Group, was decorated last week with the military order of the Purple Heart by Brig. Gen. Beam, USAF, Commanding General of the Caribbean Air Command in a private ceremony held in the General's office at Albrook.

RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL. 1st Lt. Don Mundt has arrived as Aide de Camp to Maj. Gen. Charles L. Mullins, Jr., newly assigned Commanding General of the United States Army Section, Joint Brazil-United States Military Commission.

MAXWELL AFB, ALA. Maj. Gen. Orville A. Anderson, Commandant of the Air War College, was the guest speaker at the November meeting of the Maxwell Woman's Club. His topic, "Significance of Evolution on Warfare," induced some thoughtful questions and General Anderson consented to speak to the women again on the following Tuesday, holding an open forum for discussion. The Garden Group sponsored a lecture by Dorothy Biddle on "Holiday Decorations," given 26 Nov.

FT. MEADE, MD. Mrs. Arthur Pulsifer entertained with a luncheon meeting announcing the engagement of her daughter, Eleanor De Witt. On 1 Nov. Mrs. Haskell, wife of Col. Louis W. Haskell gave a lovely luncheon and miscellaneous shower for Miss Pulsifer. The table centerpiece was composed of little glass wheel-barrows filled with red rose buds. All the gifts were attractively ar-

ranged in a big wheel-barrow beautifully decorated with pink and green crepe paper.

On 15 Nov. Mrs. Beall, wife of Capt. C. F. Beall stationed with the 167th Signal Photo company gave a tea and apron and handkerchief shower in honor of Miss Pulsifer. The gifts were attractively arranged in a beautifully decorated box with a large map of Montana on the front showing the location of Two Star Ranch where the young couple will make their home after their marriage.

Mrs. Wardell, wife of Maj. Michael Wardell, who will attend Miss Pulsifer as matron of honor gave a lovely tea and miscellaneous shower in her honor the afternoon of 19 Nov.

FT. EUSTIS, VA. One of the first functions designed to raise funds for the current Army Emergency Relief, USO, and Community Chest drive was held 29 Nov. Sponsored by the Officers' Wives' Club, the affair was featured by a Dessert Card Party.

Mrs. Charles W. Audet is the Club President. Ticket sellers were Mrs. John L. Lawson, Mrs. L. F. Colwell, Mrs. P. B. Shaffer, Mrs. C. A. Quinn, Mrs. J. P. Henry, Mrs. R. C. Courain, Mrs. L. V. Miller, Mrs. R. Hickey and Mrs. C. S. Fraleigh.

KITZINGEN, GERMANY. Maj. Bennett G. Gray, commanding officer of the 31st Infantry Battalion, has returned to the United States to become professor of military science and tactics at West Virginia State Teachers College.

Lt. Col. Herbert A. Barrow, who recently left an assignment in the United States where he was professor of military science and tactics at Tuskegee Institute since 1946, has been named the new commanding officer of the 37th Infantry Battalion.

Dependent wives of officers and enlisted men met recently to outline plans for a Christmas party for American dependent children in Kitzingen. Mrs. James P. Irvine, wife of Lt. Colonel Irvine, was elected chairman of the Christmas party committee. Mrs. Allen R. Anderson, wife of Captain Anderson and Mrs. Thomas T. Long, wife of Lt. Colonel Long, were elected co-chairmen.

CAMP HOOD, TEX. The Officers' Wives' Club of the 508th A.F.A. Bn., were sponsors of a benefit Dessert Card Party 18 Nov., with proceeds going to the Community Chest. Invitations were extended to wives of all Division Artillery Officers. Decorations followed the fall theme with a centerpiece of large yellow and white mums, and each lady was presented with a corsage of small mums. The door prize was won by Mrs. Leon F. Lavoie, first prize in bridge went to Mrs. Sam B. Carr, first prize in rummy to Mrs. L. M. Griffin, and first in canasta to Mrs. David C. Thatcher.

ELMENDORF AFB, ALASKA. Chaplain (Capt.) William M. Perkins, newly arrived at this station, has been assigned to the Chaplain's Staff of the 57th Fighter Wing with offices in Chapel No. 2.

During a European tour, Chaplain Perkins was chosen to organize a Chorus of 200 Negro soldiers to sing a program of "Negro Spirituals" and "Folk Songs" in concert with the London Symphony Orchestra in the Royal Albert Hall, London.

WIESBADEN, GERMANY. Brig. Gen. Arthur G. Trudeau, CG, First Constabulary Brigade, returned recently from the British Zone, after attending a series of conferences with British Army commanders. General Trudeau was the guest of Maj. Gen. George Tuck, Chief of Staff, British Army on the Rhine, during the 3-day stay at Bad Oeynhausen.

Twelve officers and fifteen NCO's of the 555th Engineer Group were guests recently of General Trudeau at Camp Pieri. The group, led by Col. William C. Bennett, Group Commanding Officer, inspected the buildings and grounds of the camp, paying particular attention to off-duty recreational facilities, such as bowling alleys, theater, gymnasium, post exchange and snack bar buildings.

SCOTT AFB, ILL. Col. and Mrs. Charles L. Moir have departed for Japan. Mrs. Moir and children plan to remain at San Francisco until they can make the voyage.

Col. and Mrs. Charles Dellerhie spent the week-end of 25 Nov. visiting relatives at Davenport, Iowa.

Col. and Mrs. A. R. MacMillan, Col. and Mrs. George Geer, Col. and Mrs. Louis Ericks entertained at cocktails recently, honoring the office force of the Inspector General.

LACKLAND AFB, TEX. A western tea and barbecue was given by the Officers' Wives' Club last week with about 100 members and their guests attending. Mrs. William Donnelly, hostess chairman for the club, revealed that the club is still urging members

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to donate toys to be used in the party planned for the base nursery on Christmas. These toys were collected at the 1 Dec. luncheon.

Col. John T. Fitzwater, Commanding Officer, Air Training Command Human Resources Research Center, and Dr. Arthur W. Melton, Deputy for Research, left for Washington, D. C., 28 Nov., to attend two research conferences.

CAMP GORDON, GA. The Military Police School recreational area on Mirror Lake was the scene of a stag barbecue supper given in honor of the visiting conferees of the Provost Marshal Seminar last week. Members of the staff, the faculty, and students of The Military Police School attended the "Georgia style barbecue" along with 65 of the top provost marshals of U. S. and Overseas Commands.

Among the honored guests were Maj. Gen. E. P. Parker, Provost Marshal General, Col. Francis E. Howard, Deputy Provost Marshal General; Col. Willard K. Liebel, Provost Marshal Austrian Command; Col. Paul Singer, Eucom; Col. R. T. Chaplin, Far East; Col. John S. Roosma, First Army; Lt. Col. E. W. Weissman, Second Army; Col. John F. Roehm, Third Army; Col. E. O. Sandlin, Fourth Army; Col. W. G. Purdy, Fifth Army; Col. Carol V. Cadwell, Sixth Army; Lt. Col. R. A. Konopaska, Military District of Washington, and Lt. Col. John K. Daley, Caribbean Command.

CHANUTE AFB, ILL. Mrs. Byron E. Gates, wife of the Commanding General, has arrived to join her husband. General Gates assumed command on the base on 1 Oct. and Mrs. Gates and the couple's children have been residing in San Antonio until now.

EGLIN AFB, FLA. Col. and Mrs. Murray C. Woodbury entertained at a steak barbecue dinner at their home on 20 Nov. for the British Air Attaché, Group Capt. R. C. Jonas, who is visiting the Air Proving Ground briefly to study the organization, functions, and equipment of the APG. Present at the dinner were Mrs. R. C. Jonas, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. W. E. Kepner, Col. and Mrs. Dwight M. Young, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Harvey Liddon.

Monday evening, 21 Nov., Maj. Gen. and Mrs. W. E. Kepner gave a cocktail party at the Party Room of the Eglin Officers' Club in honor of Lt. Gen. K. B. Wolfe, Deputy for Material, Hq. USAF, Washington, D. C. Present were Maj. Gen. W. E. Farthing, Maj. Gen. Carl A. Brandt, both from Hq., USAF, Washington, D. C.; Group Capt. and Mrs. R. C. Jonas, and the two RAF exchange officers, Wing Commander Wroth, and Squadron Leader Goings. Also attending the affair were the Eglin Deputies and Group Commanders.

FRANKFURT, GERMANY. The regular monthly meeting of the 97th General Hospital Medical Women's Club was held last month in the beautiful "Les Palmiers" Room of the Casino Club. Luncheon was followed by a musical program presenting two well known German artists, Dr. Otto A. Baumann, concert pianist, and Hermann Krauss, concertmaster of the Frankfurt Opera House.

Mrs. Martin E. Griffen welcomed a delegation of ladies from the Heidelberg Women's Club, headed by Mrs. Guy B. Denit and Mrs. E. A. Alling. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Jose M. Homs, Mrs. Charles L. Keagy and Mrs. J. G. Roberts.

FT. KNOX, KY. The Officers' Wives' Music Guild conducted a "Gentlemen's Night" recently at Radio Station KNOX. The husbands were special guests and were visibly impressed with the musical talent displayed by the wives who contributed to the program. Mrs. Fred Cummings was program chairman.

The arrival of three congressmen and the state student council convention highlighted activities at Ft. Knox 18-19 Nov. On 18 Nov. more than 150 students from 25 Kentucky schools attended the convention hosted by the Ft. Knox Dependent School. Maj. Gen. William G. Livesay, post commander and Jimmy

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King, president of the Ft. Knox student council welcomed the student delegation. On 19 Nov. Congressman Roy Wier (D, Minn.), Congressman Carl Perkins (D, Ky.) and Congressman Thomas Burke (D, Ohio) were honored at a luncheon in the Brick Officers' Club. The Congressmen, members of the Committee on Education and Labor, visited the Ft. Knox Dependent School and were escorted to public schools in the Ft. Knox area.

Mrs. Philip Bethune and Mrs. William G. Livesey were presented corsages at a luncheon conducted by wives of School Troops' officers.

■ **FT. TOTTEN, N. Y.** More than 40 members of the Women's Club enjoyed double honors at the November meeting held last week. The club meeting was visited by Mrs. Walter B. Smith, wife of the Commanding General, First Army; Mrs. R. B. Woodruff, wife of the Deputy Commander, First Army, and Mrs. Willard G. Wyman, wife of the Chief of Staff, First Army. The club group was treated to an all-Chopin program by Mrs. Bernam, pianist, wife of Lt. Col. Bernam. Mesdames Smith, Woodruff and Wyman were the guests of Mrs. Jaynes, wife of Maj. Gen. L. C. Jaynes, Commanding General of the New York-New Jersey Military District with Headquarters at Ft. Totten, and of Mrs. Crawford, wife of Col. T. M. Crawford, chief of staff of the Military District. Mrs. Crawford is the newly installed club president.

■ **CHATHAM AFB, GA.** On the evening of 22 Nov. Col. and Mrs. William H. Hanson gave a dinner party at their home on East Sixtieth St., Savannah, Ga. An arrangement of fruit formed a seasonal centerpiece. The guests were Col. and Mrs. Frederic E. Giantzberg and Col. and Mrs. James B. Knapp.

Capt. and Mrs. C. C. Lowe gave a dinner party recently in honor of Maj. and Mrs. Walter H. Heath, Jr. Captain and Mrs. Lowe invited Capt. and Mrs. Perry Menzies and Lt. and Mrs. Don K. Field to meet the newcomers to the base.

■ **OAKLAND ARMY BASE, CALIF.** Officers and their ladies said good-bye to a post commander and welcome to his successor at separate receptions recently. One reception honored Col. and Mrs. Edward Kleinman prior to the former's departure for a new assignment in Yokohama and on 20 Nov. the club members honored Col. Robert L. Allen, Jr., newly-appointed post commander, and Mrs. Allen.

■ **FT. DIX, N. J.** Maj. Gen. Hohn M. Devine, Commanding General, and Mrs. Devine entertained at a dinner party 22 Nov. prior to the world premier of "Souls and Heels," an original musical comedy fantasy presented by the First Army Entertainment Training Project. Guests included: Maj. Gen. Thomas W. Herron, Chief, Special Services, Department of Army, Washington; Capt. B. F. Watson, USN, Commandant, Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, N. J., and Mrs. Watson; Capt. Maurice W. Bradley, USN, Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, N. J., and Mrs. Bradley; Col. William W. Paca, USMC, Commandant, Marine Corps Barracks, Philadelphia, and Mrs. Paca; Col. Roger W. Whitman, Chief, Special Services, First Army, and Mrs. Whitman; Col. Roger W. Goldsmith, Commandant, Army and Air Force Special Services School, Ft. Monmouth, and Mrs. Goldsmith; Lt. Col. William Austin Bishop, Chief, Army Recreational Service, Washington, D. C.; Lt. Col. Frederick Kendall, Special Services, First Army, and Mrs. Dorothy Wurster, daughter of Major General and Mrs. Devine.

Guests from Ft. Dix and the Ninth Infantry Division included: Mrs. William L. Barriger, wife of Brig. Gen. William L. Barriger, Asst. Division Commander; Col. O. W. Martin, Chief of Staff, and Mrs. Martin; Col. James H. Cash, Deputy Post Commander, and Mrs. Cash; Maj. David S. Anderson, Special Services Officer and Mrs. Anderson; and Capt. Wilbur McCormack, Aide to General Devine.

■ **FT. BENNING, GA.** Ft. Benning's pistol team competed with other civilian and military teams in a National Rifle Association registered tourney at Ft. McPherson, Ga., recently, winning first place honors in the .45 calibre match. Members of the team were Lt. Col. Perry D. Swindler, Lt. Col. Milton C. Taylor, Lt. Clark Campbell and Lt. Frederick J. Keifer, all members of the Infantry School.

Cadre officers of the Student Training regiment staged their annual Thanksgiving party at the Officers' Club recently with an approximate attendance of 200 officers, wives and guests. Seated at the head table were Col. and Mrs. Sevier R. Tupper, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Howard F. Haberman, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ray E. Marshall and their guests from Columbus, Ga., Lt. Col. (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. Frank J. Spettel, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Shields Warren and Maj. and Mrs. Jonathan E. Adams. Officers in charge of party arrangements were Capt. L. V. Bailey, chairman; Lt. John D.

White, Capt. Sidney F. Anderson and Capt. Guy L. Tucker.

Officers of Headquarters, Third Infantry Division, their wives and guests entertained with the first social get-together party Saturday, 19 Nov. at the Ft. Benning Country Club. Decorations were unique, featuring the colors and patch insignia of the Third Division.

Honor guests included Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Withers A. Burreas, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. J. S. Bradley, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Robert B. Hill, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Roland P. Shugg, Col. and Mrs. J. W. Boone, Col. and Mrs. Dennis M. Moore and Mrs. Dorothy Brann. A group of 21 Marine Corps officers were also guests of the division, and 10 officers from Ft. Devens joined the group later.

Committees in charge of party arrangements were headed by Mrs. John E. Arthur, decorations; Mrs. James Friend, reservations; Mrs. N. B. Rieger, general chairman; Mrs. E. O. Gibson, food. Mrs. Oliver P. Newman, wife of the division chief of staff, greeted the guests at the door. Approximately 150 attended, including Maj. Gen. P. W. Clarkson, commander of the Third Division, and Mrs. Clarkson.

■ **CHERRY POINT, N. C.** The close of the Community Chest Drive here at the Marine Corps Air Station and the Second Marine Aircraft Wing, revealed that this Air Station went over the top once more for another worthy cause. Incomplete reports state that \$1,620.88 have been contributed to the Red Feather Fund, topping last year's mark by \$125.

The sixth graduation class of Gray Ladies took place here recently. Seventeen graduates pledged their services to the Hospital and Recreation Corps of the American Red Cross. Brig. Gen. Ivan W. Miller, Commanding General of the Air Station, congratulated the graduating class and gave a brief resume of the history of the American Red Cross Gray Lady Service. A highlight of the graduation was the presentation of diplomas by General Miller to each member of the new class, and the capping of each member by Maj. Gen. Louis E. Woods, Commanding General, Air-FMF/Lant and the Second Marine Aircraft Wing.

■ **ROBINS AFB, GA.** The chief of the 14th Air Force's air police division, Maj. Inman L. Massey, has been reassigned to duty at Oliver General Hospital, Augusta, Ga.

■ **WATERTOWN ARSENAL, MASS.** Col. and Mrs. Carroll H. Deitrick were host and hostess for an informal cocktail party recently. Colonel Deitrick is in command of Watertown Arsenal. Following cocktails, a light buffet supper was served. Among the invited guests were included all the Officers and Ladies of the Arsenal, and other officers on duty in the Greater Boston Area.

Capt. Ray E. Nolind, Supply Officer at Watertown Arsenal since his return from Germany in the Fall of 1947, departed for his new station at White Sands Proving Grounds, on 14th Nov.

■ **CAMP HALE, COLO.** Twelve hundred troops from Camp Carson, Colo., arrived here recently to begin annual winter maneuvers at this Rocky Mountain training center. Commanded by Col. F. S. Bowen, Jr., men of the 14th Regimental Combat Team's 1st Battalion, the 4th Field Hospital, 229th Signal Company, and Battery "A" 537th Field Artillery arrived by truck convoy from Camp Carson, 165 miles away. Colonel Bowen is also Commanding Officer of Camp Carson.

Located at the foot of Tennessee Pass, 10,000 feet high on the Western slope of the Rockies, Camp Hale is unique among Army cold weather training areas. Its mountainous, heavily wooded terrain and sub-zero temperatures make it ideal for training in the basic principles of military oversnow operations. Under the supervision of a select cadre, both military and civilian instructors, troops will devote the next 40 days to learning techniques of movement ranging from individual skis to use of the M-29 cargo carrier—the Army's "weasel."

■ **SAN DIEGO, CALIF.** Miss Courtney Sprague, who will be one of December's loveliest brides, was the inspiration for a shower given last week by Mrs. Frank Raybrook. The hostess entertained in her home at the Naval Air Station, North Island and the guests were each invited to bring something for a kitchen. Arriving with gay colored pots and pans, aprons and hot pads were: Mmes. A. C. Smith, R. E. Farnsworth, J. L. Manion, T. C. Edington, W. F. DeLaurentis, Dorris Gurney, Harry Smith, J. B. Ricketts, M. M. Casey, E. J. S. Young, W. R. Munroe, Frank Akers, Fred Laing, N. R. Lincoln, C. A. F. Sprague, Lester Rice, O. G. Murfin, B. J. Rodgers, R. F. Jones, G. W. Berry, C. E. King, W. F. Rodee, Misses Patricia Sprague, Gwen Talbot, Sue Edington and Patricia Farnsworth.

The football game between the Naval Training Center and the Camp Pendleton Marines occasioned the luncheon given on Saturday to honor Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Graves B. Erskine. Capt. and Mrs. Jos. A. Connolly were hosts and the Adm. Kidd Officers' Club was the scene of the party to which the following guests were invited: Maj. Gen. and Mrs. W. T. Clement, Brig. Gens. and Mmes.

E. A. Craig, Omar T. Pfeiffer, W. S. Fellers, Rear Adm. and Mrs. W. D. Baker, Capt. and Mmes. Frank Munroe, H. O. Larson, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. R. H. Hanson, Lt. Wm. Doeher, USMC, Major and Mrs. Harley E. Knox, Messrs. and Mesdames H. B. Starkey, J. E. Jessop, M. C. Pfefferhorn and J. A. Kennedy.

■ **CAMP LEE, VA.** Maj. Gen. Paul Mueller, Deputy Commanding General of the 3d Army, was entertained recently by Maj. Gen. R. C. L. Graham, Commanding General of Camp Lee, and his staff officers at a dinner at the Officers' Recreation Center, which was followed with a formal dance also held at the ORC.

■ **ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, MD.** Lt. Col. Samuel W. Parnelle, Jr., was assigned the position of Commanding Officer of the Post Troops Command on 25 Nov. replacing Lt. Col. Harry M. Murray, who is being transferred. Colonel Parnelle, who formerly was with the Research and Analysis Branch of the Ordnance School, is a veteran of the Southwest Pacific, having served with the Fifth Air Force in Australia and New Guinea from '42 to '45. Upon his return to the States in 1945 he was assigned to the Air Force Proving Ground Command, Eglin Field, Fla., and from there went to Tyndall Field, Fla., where he was an instructor at the Air Tactical School.

■ **FT. BLISS, TEX.** Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Chas. E. Hart and their twin daughters, Sally and Susie, left Ft. Bliss, 25 Nov. for New York from where they will sail on 13 Dec. for Heidelberg, Germany.

General Hart served as Assistant Commandant of the Antiaircraft and Guided Missiles Branch of The Artillery School at Ft. Bliss from Sept., 1947, until his departure for the new assignment to EUCOM Headquarters at Heidelberg.

■ **NORFOLK, VA.** Vice Adm. and Mrs. John Lesslie Hall, Jr., entertained 1 Dec. at a reception given at their quarters. The wives of the officers of the Class of '45, U. S. Naval Academy held their monthly luncheon 22 Nov. The hostesses were Mrs. Robert Lauer and Mrs. Hugh L. Culbreath.

Lt. and Mrs. Max Carroll Chapman were hosts on Saturday, 26 Nov. at a cocktail party. Mrs. June Wilson Wadsworth and Lt. Comdr. Francis Joseph Berry, USN, whose marriage took place Saturday morning, 26 Nov., in the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, were entertained the evening before the wedding at a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Webb Davis at the Norfolk Yacht and Country Club.

Dependent Care

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from THE JOURNAL, spoke out against the economy move.

In urging continuation of dependent care, Representative Price joined such other members of the House Armed Services Committee as Chairman Carl Vinson (D, Ga.), Representative Paul Kilday (D, Tex.) and Representative Lansdale Sasser (D, Md.) who have been emphatic in their opposition to the Bureau of the Budget proposal.

"I am against taking these privileges from the dependents of military personnel," Representative Price told THE JOURNAL. "The Bureau of the Budget should have advanced the idea before the Career Compensation Act of 1949 became law. To deprive them of these privileges would be taking pay away from personnel. This would not be fair, as such privileges are part of the emoluments accruing to those who enter the Armed Services."

Another member of the House Armed Services Committee late this week joined the opposition, as Representative L. Mendell Rivers (D, S. C.), expressed to THE JOURNAL his intention to contest the proposal if it is submitted to Congress. "I am emphatically against any such plan," the South Carolina legislator asserted.

Thus, it became patently apparent that the ranks of the House Armed Services Committee are being forcefully closed against any cut in dependent care.

With the new protests voiced this week, it is now obvious that the committee will not support any economy move which would deny dependent care to military personnel.

The growing attitude was that the committee does not want to follow any course which would give long-delayed benefits to Service personnel, as enacted in the Career Compensation legislation, and then follow this by taking away with the other hand privileges of long standing.

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Further Navy Reductions

Secretary of the Navy Francis P. Matthews this week confirmed reports that the Navy will suffer more reductions.

Addressing the Navy League of the United States at its forty-sixth annual meeting in St. Paul, Minn., Secretary Matthews said that "further reductions in the total cost of current military preparedness are inescapable," and that the Navy "has its share of further reducing pains to endure."

He assured the meeting, however, that the Navy is being "equitably treated," and that Defense Secretary Johnson and Deputy Defense Early "know no favorite among the three Departments of the Military Establishment."

Secretary Matthews, giving what he termed his "own interpretation" of the Navy's roles and missions in the present defense needs for the military security of the United States, said that he "would have hesitated to offer any opinions" on the subject six months ago, but that he now did so "without apology."

He said that his qualifications "as a spokesman on naval affairs" had been validly altered since he took office last May, adding that his opinions were "built upon a period of productive experience" and had "the merit of having emanated from a comprehension of the indisputable fact that there are two sides of every question."

Trial and Error

"The right side," Mr. Matthews said, "very often can be determined only by a process of trial and error conducted in a climate of open-mindedness characterized by unrestrained readiness to accept the truth when it develops, regardless of how surprising it may prove to be."

The Navy Secretary asked a number of rhetorical questions such as "What kind of a Navy has America today? How is it equipped? What is the character of its personnel? What is its potential fighting power? What is the nature of our country's need for a Navy at present and in the future? How can we make sure that the Navy we have will be the Navy we should have, when and if a crisis develops, requiring us to keep war out of the United States? What about unification?"

The following extracts from his speech showed how he answered the questions:

Navy "Superior"

"Our Navy today is unquestionably superior to that of any other nation. It is undoubtedly greater in material units and striking power than all the other navies in the world combined. Such a statement of itself is not sufficient, however, to establish as a fact that the Navy we do have is all that it ought to be in the light of existing world conditions. The sufficiency of our Navy power depends on its adequacy in the event of war to carry out with satisfactory promptness the roles and missions assigned to it in the strategic plans for national defense formulated by the Commander in Chief in accordance with the recommendations of the Joint Chiefs of Staff decided upon with the approval of the Secretary of Defense.

"Measured by that test our Navy of today meets our requirements fairly well in most particulars. In ships we are well supplied. In aircraft carriers, though we could use more in the opinion of many of us, we are much stronger than all the rest of the world. In Naval and Marine Air Forces we have impressive peacetime equipment in spite of recognized shortages. In munitions our reserves meet the requirements. In weapons we are modernized and equipped in advance of other nations. In underwater war craft, unfortunately, we share the disadvantage which radical and rapid development in construction and improvement of submarines since World War II has produced. The Marines are the same potential "bad news" that they have always been to a prospective or actual enemy. We have abundant shore establishment in satisfactory physical condition to service the fleet with proper dispatch in peacetime and capable of adjustment to meet all foreseeable emergency necessities. In research and development, we are striving, with success, to keep abreast of technological progress and apply the magic of our inventive genius to the improvement of the instrumentalities of scientific warfare.

"Neither you nor I would contend that in any of these areas of our Naval strength improvements could be made in our resources. We must admit frankly that to meet the demands of actual war substantial additions would be required in each category. In the absence of war or its foreseeable imminence, however, the Army, the Navy and the Air Force must respect the financial limitations of the national economy."

"Economic strength is as essential to us as the strength of our military forces. (Please turn to Page 379)

The Armored School

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now maintain a normal enrollment level.

The school has produced an alumni of imposing proportions in its relatively brief history. Now on its second 100,000, having graduated its first 100,000th student on 22 March 1949. Thus, in nine years, The Armored School has had an annual average output of 11,000 students. Enrollment this fiscal year will be larger than last year, with a total of 2625. The school graduated 2018 students in fiscal year 1948-49.

The school functions under the department system, and the commandant's staff serves also as the Fort Knox Post Staff. It is comparable to the staff of a division.

The Research and Evaluation Division, maintaining close liaison with other research and development agencies in the Army, conducts a comprehensive program of research and analysis. Among its other functions, it conducts a course designed to improve reading ability and study habits, using latest remedial methods and equipment. This unique program has produced results.

An example is the Officers' Advanced Class of 1948-49 which initially read at a rate of about 350 words a minute but after training was able to increase the rate to approximately 750 words each minute with a corresponding rise in comprehension. The division also presents courses in Army instructional methods, stressing psychological principles.

Instructional Divisions

The Automotive Division is a large and busy place, teaching maintenance, unit removal and replacement, and a host of other operations allied with the electrical and engine ramifications of armored vehicles.

Instruction in the organization, equipment, and employment of the combined arms and services-air team is provided by the Command and Staff Department. Progressive training is given through all stages up to and including division level. Emphasis is on the combined arms team of tanks, armored infantry, armored artillery, armored engineers and air support.

The Communications Department, ever important and complex, presents courses for signal communication specialists. Installation, operation, and maintenance are the crux of this course. Particular emphasis is placed on preparation for duty as instructors.

Firing of tank weapons is taught in the Weapons Department, covering all the weapons used in armored units from the caliber .45 pistol to the powerful 105-mm howitzer.

Qualifying instructors and more instructors is the aim of the Weapons Department, for this is the overpowering demand in time of emergency and expansion, and modern weapons call for expert use and care.

The best in training literature is afforded through the efforts of the Training Literature and Reproduction Department. This department publishes books, pamphlets, schedules, maps, pictures and other literature to facilitate instruction. An editorial section prepares manuscripts of instructor-authors, and a modern field printing plant produces the finished product. It performs printing, lithographing and binding.

Training Literature

The Training Literature and Reproduction Department also contains a drafting and photography section, and a training aids division which is known throughout the School system for third-dimensional training aids and working models in wood, plastic and metals.

The Armored School is closely geared to the requirements of the officers' career development program. Accordingly, during the first year of his service, the armored Cavalry officer will complete the basic course of The Armored School. Then, between his third and tenth year, the officer returns for the Officers' Advanced Course.

Not all the school's endeavors are in resident instruction. As the authoritative center of armored knowledge, experience and development, instructional activities of interest to the entire military establishment, including civilian components, are maintained at all times.

A conference on Armor was held 31 May to 1 June 1949, which brought 341

officers from all parts of the country for one of the outstanding events in the year's schedule. The Navy, Marine Corps and Air Force were well represented.

Special summer courses are conducted for National Guard, Reserve and Regular Army personnel from all Army areas, designed to provide instructors for summer training of civilian components.

At Fort Knox, 10,000 National Guard and Reserve Corps personnel received training last summer from Armored School instructors.

"Packet" Program

The "packet" program of the school is one of its most far-reaching activities. The school furnishes latest training courses to National Guard, ROTC and ORC units throughout the nation. Distribution is in bulk to State Adjutants General and to Army commanders.

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Today we have bigger and better tanks,

bigger and better guns. Many refinements in equipment and techniques have been developed. Superior weapons are being combined with superior manpower possessing the "know-how" required in 20th Century combat. Of such stuff is armor supremacy made.

Here at the school we are cognizant that the stakes involved in any future war may be the greatest of any war in history. Despite continuing efforts to attain permanent peace in the world, there are still indications that in our time we may see the greatest military age of all.

What has heightened interest and activity at the school in the four years since the shooting halted in World War II, has been the compulsion of the times—the uncertainty on the international scene, calling for greater measures of national security than we ever have known before in any period between wars. The possibility that the "cold" war might turn "hot" was accepted with realistic thinking that made for more ardent approach to the task of learning.

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Army In AMA Convention

Maj. Gen. George E. Armstrong, USA, Deputy Army Surgeon General, will act as official delegate of the Surgeon General at the American Medical Association's Interim Convention, to be held in Washington 6-9 Dec. General Armstrong is a member of the House of Delegates of the American Medical Association.

Col. Floyd L. Wergeland, MC, Chief, Education and Training Division, Office of the Surgeon General, will make a presentation before the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals which will meet 5 Dec. Colonel Wergeland will present a review of the development, present status and growth of the Army's Professional Education Program.

The Medical Illustration Service, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, has arranged for four exhibits to be shown in the National Guard Armory during the time the convention will be in session. Outstanding among these will be the exhibit on chloromycetin in the treatment of rickettsial diseases and the treatment and prevention of scrub typhus. Incorporated in this exhibit will be a series of kodachrome slides showing a record of a series of tests on scrub typhus in Malaya conducted in cooperation with British and Malayan personnel.

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Pre-Game Unity Shattered

Cadets of the U. S. Military Academy and Midshipmen of the U. S. Naval Academy joined ranks before the game at Philadelphia on Saturday, 26 Nov., to render an unprecedented "unification salute" to President Truman, but moments later the Army gridders split wide the Navy line, ran the ends effectively and passed convincingly through the air to a 38-0 victory in the 50th Service football classic, witnessed by a crowd of 102,443.

Just as last year, the President's presence on the Navy side had brought the Midshipmen a stunning 21-21 tie with a highly favored Cadet eleven, so this year the Chief Executive's luck held out as he watched the game from the Army side of the vast stadium.

Together with the huge throng of spectators, the President and his party were impressed with the special "unification tribute" which followed the traditional parades of the Cadets and Midshipmen. Color companies from both Academies remained on the field, with the West Point unit formed in an open-rank formation. The color company from Annapolis marched into position and opened ranks also. Then, files of Midshipmen marched in between the files of Cadets, forming a pattern of alternating gray and blue.

Pre-game festivities over, the West Point football team, coached by Coach Earl "Red" Blaik, overwhelmed the Navy team, as Army Quarterback and All-American Arnold Galiffa led his team to a brilliant victory. Few football teams in the nation could have beaten Army last Saturday.

Only once did the Navy team cross the midfield stripe and that drive ended on the Army 47-yard line, as the Cadet defensive team, playing what is described as an almost perfect game, thwarted any further penetration.

Army gained a total of 310 yards rushing, while Coach George Sauer's spirited Navy team was able to move only 66 yards on the ground against the hard-hitting West Point line. Through the air, Army gained 149 yards, while the Tars' aerial game was held to a total of 41 yards.

From the first series of plays, when Army marched 66 yards to the first touchdown, it was obvious that the Navy team was outclassed. The Midshipmen fought desperately, however, making a successful and dramatic goal line stand in the second period when Army could not score with four downs to go on the four yard line. But Army was not to be denied and scored 25 points in the second half.

The victory over Navy gave Army five undefeated teams in six years and raised to 20 the number of consecutive games without a loss. In the last 54 games, Army has lost only twice.

Notre Dame was the last team to defeat Army. That was in 1947, when the mighty Irish won 27-7.

The game last week at Philadelphia brought to a close the West Point grid careers of Captain John Trent, Galiffa, Bob Abelman, Karl Kuckhahn, Bobby Vinson, Jack Mackmull, Ray Maladowitz, Matt Henrikson, Bobby Lunn, Lynn Galloway, Gerry Kelley, Ralph Kaseman, Jim Irons, Bill Henn, Bennie Davis, Paul McDaniel, Charles Kyuk, Bill Kellum and Charles Gabriel.

Navy gridders who ended their Blue and Gold careers were Captain Phil Ryan, Don Andresen, Harrison Frasier, Charles Cooper, Wes Harvey, George Mahoney, Dave Ridderhof, Walt Wagner, Duff Arnold, Ellis Parvis and Bill Earl.

Statistics

Army	Navy
27.....	First Downs..... 8
310.....	Net Yards Gained Rushing..... 66
21.....	Forward Passes Attempted..... 12
12.....	Forward Passes Completed..... 5
149.....	Yards Forward Passing..... 41
2.....	Forwards Intercepted by..... 1
21 Yards Gained	Run-Back Interceptions..... 0
41.....	Punting Average..... 36
140.....	Total Yards All Kicks Returned..... 35
0.....	Opponents Fumbles Recovered..... 0
55.....	Yards Lost by Penalties..... 35

ARMY

END—Foldberg, Lochlain, Kyuk, Kellum, Roberts, Trent, Stone, TACKLE—Davis, Elmblad, Shira, Haas, Kimmel. GUARD—Lunn, Ackerson, Kaseman, Irons, Barna, Galloway, Kelley. CENTER—Maladowitz, Henrikson.

THE Coast Guard's officer procurement program is almost completed, officials reported this week. A selection board has chosen 79 applicants from among 241 considered, and 42 will be tendered commissions in the order of precedence. Expectation is that the majority of these officers will be on duty by the end of the year.

Enlisted Promotions

During November, 111 enlisted men were promoted to the rank of chief petty officer, 54 to first class, 105 to second class and 114 to third class, a total of 284 enlisted promotions.

Leave Underpayments

Personnel officers have been instructed to exercise greater care in maintaining leave records to prevent underpayments to enlisted personnel for leave on discharge or retirement.

Aid B-29 Search

A compilation of Coast Guard participation in the recent successful search for survivors of the Air Force B-29 crash off Bermuda has shown that PBM planes from the Coast Guard air stations at Salem, Floyd Bennett Field, Elizabeth City and St. Petersburg assisted in the air search, while the Cutters Bibb, Pontchartrain and Barataria were engaged in surface search and plane guard operations. Lt. Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, commanding general of the Strategic Air Command, has asked Maj. Gen. Laurence Kuter, commanding general of the Military Air Transport Service, to communicate the Air Force's appreciation to the Coast Guard.

Yard Availability

Presently at the Coast Guard Yard for availability are the Tamaroa, Cactus and CG-63301. Lightship 91 recently completed availability at the Yard and departed for Norfolk, Va.

Coast Guard Orders

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strict Commander.

Allen Winbeck, 7CGDO to 13CGDO (o).

Commanders

Joseph A. Bresnan, Armed Forces Staff College to HQ (PO).

James D. Crail, Base, St. Geo, SI, NY to COOS Bay (CO).

George W. Holtzman, COOS Bay to TCGDO (o).

Edward W. Laird, 11CGDO to 5CGDO (ecv).

Clifford R. MacLean, Eastern Inspector Office to Base, New Orleans, La (CO).

Forrest I. Phippen, HQ to 11CGDO (ecv).

Russell W. Thresher, Base, New Orleans, La to Eastern Inspector Office.

Lieutenants

Robert O. Bracken, McLane to 13CGDO.

Theodore J. Kozanecki, AirSta, San Diego, Cal to AirFac, Honolulu, T. H.

Lieutenants (jg)

Lonnie Bridges, AirSta, Traverse City, Mich, to AirSta, San Diego, Calif.

Orville C. Hinnen, Orders to McLane amended—for duty as CO.

Clarence G. Porter, Castle Rock to Base, Boston, Mass. (furas).

Robert I. Price, Tampa to Unimak (eng

Stout, Mackmull. BACK—Galiffa, Blaik, Brown, Vinson, N. Hollock, Schultz, Fischl, Martin, Johnson, Abelman, Stephenson, Kuckhahn, Beck, Conaway.

NAVY

END—Andresen, McPowell, Carson, Ryan, Bakke, Wilson, TACKLE—Tetraut, Davis, Leahy, Renneman, Hunt, Gillcrist, Cragg, GUARD—Mahoney, Wagner, Cooper, Steele, Ridderhof, Harvey, Denfeld. CENTER—Owens, Schifferli, Bryson. BACK—Zastrow, Sorrentino, Jones, Hauff, Vine, Bartuska, Sundry, Weaver, Arnold, Powers, Drew, Allison, Sciolino, Bannerman.

NAVY

Army 7 6 12 13-38
Navy 0 0 0 0-0
Army scoring: Touchdowns—Stephenson (3), Galiffa, Vinson, Johnson. Extra points: Mackmull (2).

Army Research School

Lt. Col. William D. Tigert, MC, has been appointed assistant commandant of the Army Medical Department Research and Graduate School at the Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C. Colonel Tigert came to the Medical Center after a three-year tour of duty as Consultant to the Surgeon of the Far East Command in Japan.

trng).

Owen B. Smith, Cherokee to Chincoteague. Joseph M. Weber, AirSta, San Francisco, Calif to AirSta, Elizabeth City, N. C.—cancelled.

Ensigns

Allyn J. Hinton, AirSta, San Francisco, Calif to AirSta, Elizabeth City, N. C.

Henry McAllister, Balsam to McLane (XO).

Warrant Officers

C Gun Hiram B. Rodman, Baltimore Group to Academy.

Mach Harry H. Eckels, AirSta, St. Petersburg, Fla, to AirSta, Traverse City, Mich.

PClK Peter P. Ashton, Dexter to Matagorda.

PClK Graham Rush, Matagorda to Dexter.

APPOINTMENTS

Appointment letters have been issued to the following qualified applicants who were appointed to the ranks indicated in the U. S. Coast Guard and Coast Guard Reserve.

Edwin S. Radford, Lt. USCG.

Alfred J. Unger, Lt. USCG.

William C. Behan, Lt.(jg), USCG.

William L. Russin, Jr. Lt.(jg), USCG.

Robert E. Wolfard, Lt.(jg), USCG.

Michael J. Holland, Lt.(jg), USCG.

John F. Mundy, Lt.(jg), USCG.

Arthur E. Lawrence, Jr. Lt.(jg), USCG.

Roland P. Amatels, Jr. Lt.(jg), USCG.

Roland J. Frapier, Lt.(jg), USCG.

Ralph R. Pruitt, Lt.(jg), USCG.

John H. Hedenlemi, Lt.(jg), USCG.

Donald H. Reaume, Ens. USCG.

Harold R. Brock, Ens. USCG.

Glenn D. Jones, Ens. USCG.

REVERSIONS

Reversion to permanent enlisted status has been authorized in the cases of the following warrant officers:

Walter J. Boyce, PClK to YNC.

Robert F. Taylor, Mach to MMC.

Enlisted Retirements

The Commandant has approved the retirements of the following enlisted men with 20 or more years active service, effective 31 Jan. 1950.

Octavio R. Segarra

Frederick W. Leslie

Harry R. Miller

Frank J. Lawson

Rudolph A. Rapacz

George L. Fox

Monte E. Buchanan

David K. Ward

Forrest R. Creath

Robert Bertollette

John T. Freeman

Raymond F. Bond

Harold C. Waters

Warren J. Norton

Clarence L. Hilliard

Joe L. Swinney

Bertie C. Pliner

Guy C. Waltrip

Chester F. Claudio

Francis S. Edwards

Harold A. Stone

George F. Oehring

Warren G. Spencer

Carl Ericson

Harry LaFever

Matthews Howells

Edward H. Dykhus

Ray W. Tucker

Henry Tippett

James G. Cameron

William J. Dennis

Marvin Costin

Joseph T. Echols

Luis Ramirez

John A. Saylor

Ted Moore

Oscar Kelly

Chauncey Willis

Faunce A. Bryant

Guy Barron

Wm. N. Blake, Jr.

Wm. A. Partridge

Earl L. Harvey

Leonard J. Chaplik

Stephen Parkans

Floyd B. Savage

Henry C. Dunn

Albert W. Johnson

George A. Jack

Clarence Hahn

Earl W. Lee

Sutton Geer

Harold Fris

Marvin R. Coulson

Harry J. Pennewell

Charles A. Downs

Presently Serving As Officers Under Temporary Appointments

Charles R. King

Alvin G. Lane

Logis H. Bauhof

Charles W. Cox

Daniel H. Miner

Jake H. Akers

John Martin

Charles A. Downs

Presently Serving As Officers Under Temporary Appointments

Robert D. McNabb

Charles L. Worth

George Cronick

Elliot L. Johnson

Harry E. Stuart

Samuel Switt

Harry S. Farmer

Charles A. Downs

Presently Serving As Officers Under Temporary Appointments

Born

ADAMS—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex. 8 Nov 1949, to O/C & Mrs Howard J Adams, a son, Daniel Scott.

ARNI—Born at US Naval Hosp, St Albans, LI, NY, 15 Oct 1949, to Maj & Mrs Francis J Aerni, a daughter, Jenni.

AINSWELLS—Born at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 26 Oct 1949, to Lt & Mrs Jack Ainswells, a son, Jack, Jr.

ALLEY—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex. 8 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs William S A Alley, a son, William Chandler.

ALLISON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 10 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Joseph E Allison, a daughter, Nieki Lynne.

ALVES—Born at Percy Jones Gen Hosp, Battle Creek, Mich, 22 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Albert Alves, a daughter, Karen Dorothea.

ANDERS—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Sill, Okla, 19 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Charles T Anders, a son, Michael Thomas.

ANDERSON—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 20 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs G B Anderson, a son.

ANDREWS—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Robert U Andrews, a daughter, Deborah Lee.

ASAFF—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 12 Nov 1949, to Lt & Mrs John G Asaff, a son, Kevin Kent.

BARBER—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Joel E Barber, a son, Joel Ed, Jr.

BARGER—Born at Sta Hosp, West Point, NY, 22 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs David H Barger, a daughter, Ann Farrar.

BARGER—Born at Base Hosp, Goodfellow AFB, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs William Barger, a daughter, Linda Kay.

BARNES—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 14 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs William E Barnes, a daughter, Linda.

BARTUCK—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 21 Nov 1949, to WO & Mrs F A Bartuck, a daughter.

BEAUDRY—Born at Base Hosp, Goodfellow AFB, Tex, 9 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Jerome Beaudry, a daughter, Mary Catherine.

BEAVERS—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 27 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Luther M Beavers, a daughter, Suzanne.

BECK—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 25 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Edward C Beck, Jr, a son, Edward Charles.

BERGSTROM—Born at Rodriguez Gen Hosp, Ft Brooke, PR, 20 Nov 1949, to Lt (jg) & Mrs H B Bergstrom, a son.

BERKELEY—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 16 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs R C Berkeley, Jr, a son, Phillips Boyd.

BERRY—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 19 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs John W Berry, a son, Thomas McFarland.

BEST—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 10 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Garnet V Best, a son, Anthony James.

BLANKENSHIP—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 22 Nov 1949, to QM Ch & Mrs Merlin M Blankenship, a daughter.

BORDUA—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 16 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Robert E Bordua, a son, Leon Robert.

BOSCHERT—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 23 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs William A Boschert, a son, Gregory Randolph.

BRANDT—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 26 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs William H Brandt, a daughter, Linda Ann.

BRIMMER—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Geo G Meade, Md, 19 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Carl Brimmer, a son.

BRONSTEIN—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 13 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Sidney W Bronstein, a son, Elliott David.

BROWN—Born at Garfield Memorial Hosp, Washington, DC, 9 Nov 1949, to Lt Col Deslige Brown, (USMA '38) & Mrs Brown, a son, Richard Deslige; grandson of Col Levl G Brown, USA-Ret, (USMA '03), & Mrs Brown.

BROWNING—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, to WO/C & Mrs Samuel S Browning, a daughter, Vicki Anne.

BUCK—Born at Sta Hosp, Aberdeen Provning Ground, Md, 17 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Leonard Whisler Buck, a son, Leonard Whisler, Jr.

BURDETTE—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Maurice R Burdette, a son, Lance Starling.

BURNS—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 23 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Carl N Burns, a son, Carl Neville, 2d.

BURRELL—Born at Base Hosp, Goodfellow AFB, Tex, 7 Nov 1949, to Lt & Mrs Eldon Burrell, a daughter, Cathy Lane.

BUSTER—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 19 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Sig Buster, a daughter, Alma Dianne.

CAMPBELL—Born at Sta Hosp, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, 17 Nov 1949, to Maj

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& Mrs Francis W Campbell, a son, William Francis.

CAPEHART—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 19 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs William C Capehart, a daughter, Elizabeth Ruth.

CAPPELLETTI—Born at Letterman Gen Hosp, San Francisco, Calif, 15 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs F R Cappelletti, a daughter, Martha Marie.

CARDWELL—Born at Sta Hosp, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md, 17 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs William Collier Cardwell, a son, George Geyer.

CARTER—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 16 Nov 1949, to 2d Lt & Mrs Adam W Carter, a son, Charles Lee.

CASEY—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 9 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Douglass A Casey, a son, Michael.

CERVENKA—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 18 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Monroe W Cervenka, a son, Charles Leonard.

CHAPMAN—Born at the Newport Hosp, Newport, RI, 28 Nov 1949, to Lt & Mrs James R Chapman, a son.

CHRISTY—Born at Sta Hosp, West Point, NY, 23 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs James V Christy, a son, James Joseph.

CLARK—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 18 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Sherman Clark, a son, Henry Thomas.

COLLINS—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 16 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs James P Collins, a daughter, Mary Carole.

COOK—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 19 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Richard E Cook, a son, Richard Eugene, Jr.

CROAT—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 9 Nov 1949, to Sgt 1/C & Mrs Richard D Croat, a son, John Davis.

CUMMINGS—Born at Chanute AFB, Ill, recently, to S/Sgt & Mrs Elwood E Cummings, a son.

CUTCHER—Born at St John's Hosp, Rapid City, SD, 4 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs Solomon Cutcher, a daughter, Ann Boyd.

DAHLY—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 7 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Donald E Dahl, a daughter, Dianne Elizabeth.

DAVIDSON—Born at USAF Hosp, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 23 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Ross Davidson, a son, Martin Lee.

DE GANAH—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 25 Nov 1949, to Lt (jg) & Mrs James A de Ganah, a daughter.

DENZI—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 29 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs John E Denz, a daughter, Barbara Cheryl; granddaughter of Lt Col & Mrs Thomas D Tway of Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

DIETSCH—Born at Chanute AFB, Ill, recently, to T/Sgt & Mrs Robert J Dietsch, a daughter.

ECKHARD—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, to 2d Lt & Mrs Robert L Eckhard, Jr, a daughter, Susan Marie.

EDDY—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 11 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Warren D Eddy, a daughter, Diane.

ELLBACK—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 17 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Lucas Ellback, a son.

ELLIS—Born at Chanute AFB, Ill, recently, to S/Sgt & Mrs William Ellis, a son.

ESTES—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 11 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Donald E Estes, a son, Donald Earl, Jr.

EVANS—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs John N Evans, Jr, a son, John Nelson, 3d.

EZBA—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Alex Ezba, a son, John Joseph.

FAYNIK—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 12 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Joseph J Faynik, a daughter, Shirley Jo.

FOSTER—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Knox, Ky, 17 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Randolph V Foster, a daughter, Susan Lee.

FRASER—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 27 Nov 1949, to Lt Cmdr & Mrs E F Fraser, a daughter.

FROST—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 6 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Lester E Frost, a son, Jack Edward.

GAGNON—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 27 Nov 1949, to Machinist's Mate Chief & Mrs Augustin R Gagnon, a daughter.

GARD—Born at Percy Jones Gen Hosp, Battle Creek, Mich, 27 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Daniel Gard, a daughter, Suzanne Marie.

GARNER—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 22 Nov 1949, to 1st Sgt & Mrs Dores R Garner, a son, Stephen Ralph.

GARZA—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 7 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Rene Charles Garza, a daughter, Elizabeth Ann.

GAUT—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Duncan Gault, a daughter, Claire Nicole.

GAUTRAU—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 26 Nov 1949, to Lt (jg) & Mrs Walter Gautrau, a son.

GELWIX—Born at Sta Hosp, West Point, NY, 21 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Joe M Gelwix, Jr, a son, Randall Clark.

GIFFORD—Born at Rodriguez Gen Hosp, Ft Brooke, PR, 20 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Melvin Gifford, a son.

GLADE—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Knox, Ky, 16 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs John K Glade, a son, John Kenneth, Jr.

GOLTY—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Eustis, Va, 22 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs Francis Goly, a daughter.

GRAHAM—Born at Chanute AFB, Ill, recently, to T/Sgt & Mrs Charles L Graham, a daughter.

GRANDSTROM—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 15 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs John L Grandstrom, a son, John Leonard, 2d.

GREEN—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 12 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Leonard D Green, a daughter, Wanda Gall.

GROW—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs John B Grow, a son, Christopher John.

GUNTHER—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs Augustus J D Guntner, a daughter, Alma Virginia.

GUPTILL—Born at Sta Hosp, Ernest Harmon AFB, Newfoundland, 14 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Edward H Guptill, a son.

HADDAD—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs George M Haddad, sr, a daughter, Mary Elaine.

HALEY—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to ADC George M Haley, USN, and Mrs Haley, a daughter, Carolyn Jane.

HALL—Born at Elmenor AFB, Alaska, 4 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Gaylen D Hall, a son, Gaylen Dale, Jr.

HAMILTON—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 13 Nov 1949, to Sgt 1/C & Mrs John F Hamilton, a daughter, Joyce Amelia.

HARPER—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Knox, Ky, 21 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Armistead R Harper, a daughter, Mary Finch.

HEDALY—Born at Percy Jones Gen Hosp, Battle Creek, Mich, 21 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Patrick Healy, a daughter, Maureen Katherine.

HEISER—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 11 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Charles D Heiser, a son, Charles Steven.

HELES—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 23 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs J B Heles, a son.

HENDERSON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Robert W Henderson, a daughter, Susan Marie.

HINSON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Joseph A W Hinson, a son, Bruce Joseph.

HOGAN—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 18 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs P J Hogan, a son, Patrick Joseph.

HOLT—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 10 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Kenneth L Holt, a son, Kenneth Langston, Jr.

HOLUB—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 9 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Jose Holub, Jr, a son, Daniel Andrew.

HONEGGER—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 4 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs E F Honegger, a son.

HORKY—Born at Sta Hosp, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, 27 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs John W Horky, a son, John Nash. The baby's mother is Capt Martha E Horky, ANC-Res, former regular Army nurse.

HORNE—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 1 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs R D Horne, a son.

HOUSE—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Marvin J House, a son, Ronald Clay.

HOWERTON—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 24 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Paul A Howerton, a daughter, Patricia Sue.

IRWIN—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 17 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Walter K Irwin, a daughter, Roberta Ann.

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JACOBSSMIER—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport RI, 26 Nov 1949, to Fire Control Technician Chief & Mrs Lambert H Jacobssmier, a daughter.

JANICKI—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to Sgt 1/C & Mrs John P Janicki, a daughter, Donna Marie.

JOHNSON—Born at Tokyo Gen Hosp, Tokyo, Japan, 16 Nov 1949, to Sgt 1/C & Mrs O H Johnson, a daughter, Lois Ann.

JOHNSON—Born at Osaka Gen Hosp, Osaka, Honshu, Japan, 9 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs David O Johnson, a son.

JOHNSON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Russell E Johnson, a son, David Ronald.

JURCICH—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 16 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Rudolph J Jurcich, a son, John Michael.

KACHEL—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 15 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Daniel E Kachel, a son, Bruce Stewart.

KELLY—Born at Barksdale AFB, La, 22 Nov 1949, to Lt & Mrs Aloysius J Kelly, a son, Timothy Patrick.

KELLY—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Arthur L Kelly, a daughter, Allison Sue.

KEMP—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 15 Nov 1949, to Sgt 1/C & Mrs Donald I Kemp, a daughter, Darlene Mary.

KLINE—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 28 Oct 1949, to Capt & Mrs N E Kline, a son.

KNOWLTON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 10 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs William R Knowlton, a daughter, Betty Cragg.

KONKEL—Born at the Orange Memorial Hosp, Orlando, Fla, 18 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs G. C. McConnel, a son, G. C. McConnel.

KRUPANSKY—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, to Sgt 1/C & Mrs Faustine A Krupansky, a daughter, Madeline Anne.

LAFOREST—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 16 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Wilson H LaForest, a daughter, Jane Anne.

LA FRAGIOLA—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 21 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs B J LaFragiola, a daughter.

LANE—Born at Sta Hosp, Aberdeen Provning Ground, Md, 25 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Jack F Lane, a daughter, Katheryn Elizabeth.

LANEY—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 16 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs David H Lane, a daughter, Virginia Clarice.

LAUDERDALE—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 11 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Charles G Lauderdale, a daughter, Pat Dianne.

LEAVITT—Born at

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Francis E McCracken, a daughter, Elaine Marie.

McCORKLE—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Eustis, Va, 18 Nov 1949, to 2d Lt & Mrs Robert McCorkle, a daughter, Margaret Elizabeth.

METCALF—Born at Tokyo Gen Hosp, Tokyo, Japan, 28 Oct 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs George T Metcalf, a daughter, Sharon Louise.

MILLER—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 25 Nov 1949, to Lt (jg) & Mrs John J Miller, a daughter.

MILLER—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 17 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Russell B Miller, a son.

MILLER—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 12 Nov 1949, to 2d Lt & Mrs William J Miller, Jr, a son, William James, 3d.

MILLER—Born at Sta Hosp, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md, 27 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Walter L Miller, a son, John Walter.

MILLIKEN—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 12 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs Charles B Milliken, a son, Gary Richardson.

MOORE—Born at Flushing Hosp, Flushing, NY, 19 Nov 1949, to Col & Mrs Roger W Moore, a daughter, Virginia Meredith; grand-daughter of Mrs David H Bower, and niece of Col Ned D Moore.

MOORE—Born at Strangers Hosp, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 6 Nov 1949, to Maj William H Moore, USAF, & Mrs. Moore, a daughter, Deborah Gall.

MULLEN—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Belvoir, Va, 23 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs William J Mullen, a son, Thomas Edwin; grandson of Col George W Cook, USA-Ret, & Mrs Cook.

MURPHY—Born at St Edwards Mercy Hosp, Ft Smith, Ark, 23 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Robert O Murphy, a son, Patrick Robert.

MURRAY—Born at Sta Hosp, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md, 17 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs David Stewart Murray, a son, David Stewart, Jr.

NOVACK—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 16 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs William W Novack, a son, Max Jewel.

PACK—Born at Ft Clayton Hosp, CZ, 2 Nov 1949, to Lt Col & Mrs Charles M Pack, a daughter, Lesley Elizabeth.

PALERMO—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Sam J Palermo, twins, a daughter, Terry, and a son, Tom.

PALMER—Born at Oliver Gen Hosp, Augusta, Ga, 27 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs John R Palmer, a daughter, Julianne Charlotte.

PARKER—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 17 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Wendell K Parker, a daughter, Kathryn Lynn.

PEKAR—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs John C Pekar, a son, Dale Johnnie.

PENDERGAST—Born at Chanute AFB, Ill, recently, to Maj & Mrs Donald Pendergast, a son.

PFELL—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Edgar T Pfell, Jr, a daughter, Carolyn Wendy.

POE—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Ralph Poe, a daughter, Frances Anna.

POELLNITZ—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 15 Nov 1949, to 1st Sgt & Mrs Bernice K Poellnitz, a son, Lawrence Raymond.

PRITCHETT—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 9 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs Henry H Pritchett, a son, Harold Robert.

RACKE—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 16 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs L A Racke, a daughter.

RALEY—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 25 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs James A Raley, a daughter, Maureen Ann.

RASMUS—Born at Fukuoka, Japan, 20 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Rex B Rasmus, a daughter.

RENICK—Born at Base Hosp, Ladd AFB, Alaska, 3 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Charles Robert Renick, a son, Stephen Thurston.

RICE—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to 2d Lt & Mrs W H Rice, Jr, a son, William Hawley, 3d.

ROGERS—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 20 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Patrick H Rogers, a son, Peter John Thomas.

ROZMUS—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 3 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs H A Rozmus, a daughter.

SADLER—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Knox, Ky, 16 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Charles G Sadler, a son, Leo James.

SCHIMMEL—Born at US Naval Hosp, Newport, RI, 22 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Bernard H Schimmel of Ft Adams, RI, a son.

SCHULTZ—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 14 Nov 1949, to Capt &

Mrs Raymond W Schultz, a daughter, Susanna.

SEARIGHT—Born at Sta Hosp, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md, 16 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs George Turner Searight, a daughter, Marilyn Louise.

SHANER—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 16 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs R B Shaner, daughter.

SHANON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 17 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Ernest W Shannon, son, Jon Michael.

SHIPMAN—Born at Base Hosp, Goodfellow AFB, Tex, 3 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Ann Shipman, a son, Larry Layne.

SHORES—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs William G Shores, a daughter, Barbara Kay.

SIMPSON—Born at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 17 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Charles J Simpson, a daughter, Marianna Shreve.

SMITH—Born at US Naval Hosp, Quantico, Va, 15 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs R L Smith, a son.

SMITH—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs George T Smith, a daughter, Bettizane.

SODERSTROM—Born at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 1 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Charles Soderstrom, a son, Charles William.

SPRINGER—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 6 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Elmer E Springer, Jr, a son, Bernard Lee.

STANTON—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 14 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Royal Z Stanton, a son, Michael Roy.

STEPHENS—Born at Sparrow Gen Hosp, Lansing, Mich, recently, to Maj & Mrs Blackburn Stephens, a daughter, Sarah Fields.

STEPHENSON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Lucius H Stephenson, a daughter, Harriet Winifred.

SWARSKI—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 16 Nov 1949, to 2d Lt & Mrs Leo G Swarzki, a daughter, Nancy Ann.

TAYLOR—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 1 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs H R Taylor, a daughter.

TILLMAN—Born at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 29 Oct 1949, to Lt & Mrs Ross Tillman, a daughter, Suzanne Marie.

TODD—Born at Sta Hosp, West Point, NY, 21 Nov 1949, to Col & Mrs William A Todd, Jr, a son, Donald Edward; grandson of Col A F Dannemiller, USA-Ret, & Mrs Dannemiller of Berkeley, Calif, and of Mr & Mrs W A Todd, Jr, a son, of Augusta, Ga, and nephew of Maj Edward McC Dannemiller of Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

TOMLIN—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 24 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Eugene A Tomlin, a daughter, Vicki Ann.

TREADWAY—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 21 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs John E Treadway, a son, Stanley Michael.

TROTT—Born at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 5 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Walter Trott, a daughter, Diana Lynn.

TRUE—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Myron E True, a daughter, Linda Jean.

TUTTLE—Born at Sta Hosp, West Point, NY, 21 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs George A Tuttle, a son, Edgar George.

VELIE—Born at Sta Hosp, Sandia Base, NMEx, 14 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Earl R Velie, a daughter, Diane Marie.

WAIDT—Born at Sta Hosp, Bolling AFB, DC, 15 Nov 1949, to M/Sgt & Mrs Richard Waidt, a son, Richard Rainer.

WARLEY—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 19 Nov 1949, to T/Sgt & Mrs George W Warley, a son, Curtis Scott.

WARREN—Born at US Naval Hosp, Oakland, Calif, 13 Nov 1949, to Lt & Mrs Robert Warren, a daughter, Judith Lynn.

WATHEM—Born at Sta Hosp, Scott AFB, Ill, 20 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Vincent Wathem, a daughter.

WEEMS—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 18 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Paul M Weems, a son, Robert Stanley.

WELBORN—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Joe B Welborn, a son, Ronald Wayne.

WHITE—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 15 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs James Bernard L White, a son, Michael Gene.

WHITLEY—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 16 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Charles G Whitley, a son, William Clement.

WILEMON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Walter W Wilemon, Jr, a son, Eric Wade.

WILLIAMS—Born at Sta Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 11 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Bill D Williams, a daughter, Deldre Dee.

WILLSON—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 14 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Thomas J Willson, a son, Charles Edward.

WOODS—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 17 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Leo Woods, a son, Raymond D.

WUNDERLY—Born 17 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs A H Wunderly, a daughter, Martha Ann.

WYNNE—Born at Sta Hosp, West Point, NY, 21 Nov 1949, to Maj E P Wynne, (USMA '40), and Mrs Wynne, a daughter, Cathleen.

YEAGER—Born at Sta Hosp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, 18 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Randall G Yeager, Jr, a daughter, Kathy Ann.

YOUNG—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 6 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Hugh D Young, a daughter, Karen Renay.

YOUNG—Born at Base Hosp, Goodfellow AFB, Tex, 8 Nov 1949, to Capt & Mrs Lawrence Young, a son, Larry Drew.

YOUNG—Born at Brooke Gen Hosp, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 15 Nov 1949, to S/Sgt & Mrs Robert E Young, Jr, a son, Robert Joseph.

ZIEGLER—Born at Family Hosp, Cp Lejeune, NC, 16 Nov 1949, to 1st Lt & Mrs Leland E Ziegler, a son, Thomas Emerick.

ZINNECKER—Born at West Suburban Hosp, Oak Park, Ill, 11 Nov 1949, to Maj & Mrs Gus S Zinnecker, a son, Mark Edward.

Married

ANDERSON-SHALLOE—Married at the Roman Catholic Church of the Annunciation, Crestwood, NY, Miss Mary Jane Shalloe, daughter of Mr & Mrs Thomas M Shalloe, and Lt Charles William Anderson, USAF, son of Judge & Mrs Charles W Anderson of San Antonio, Tex.

BABROW-ARCHIBALD—Married at Post Chapel, Ft Myer, Va, 19 Nov 1949, Miss Florence Vivian Archibald, daughter of Col E P Archibald, USAF attaché at Tel Aviv, Israel, & Mrs Archibald, and Ens John Franklin Barrow, USN, son of Mr & Mrs Franklin P Barrow of Oak Park, Ill.

BERRY-WADSWORTH—Married at Norfolk, Va, 26 Nov 1949, Mrs June Wilson Wadsworth, daughter of Mr & Mrs Ezekiel Mattheis Wilson, and Lt Cmdr Francis Joseph Berry, USN, son of Mr & Mrs Patrick Berry of Ansonia, Conn.

BROMLEY-TODD—Married at the First Congregational Church, San Diego, Calif, 27 Nov 1949, Miss Mariana Louise Todd and Lt (jg) Frederick Bruns Bromley, USN.

BURNEY-McCONNELL—Married at the Cp Lindsay Chapel, Wiesbaden, Germany, 12 Nov 1949, Miss Mary McConnell, daughter of Mr & Mrs Virgil McConnell of Jackson Heights, LI, NY, and 1st Lt John C Burney, Exec Officer of Hqrs Troop, 1st Constabulary Bn, Wiesbaden.

CAVANAUGH-BARR—Married at Post Chapel, Cp Crawford, Sapporo, Japan, 19 Nov 1949, Miss Virginia Lane Barr, daughter of Maj Gen & Mrs David C Barr, and 1st Lt James Richard Cavanaugh, son of Mr & Mrs William J Cavanaugh of McKeesport, Pa.

DAVIS-BERRY—Married at Post Chapel, Andrews AFB, DC, 24 Nov 1949, Miss Mary Alice Berry, daughter of Mr & Mrs John B Berry, and Lt J E Davis, USAF, son of Mr & Mrs Lewis E Davis of Dallas, Tex.

DOANE-SHEPHERD—Married at St Martin's Church, Washington, DC, 23 Nov 1949, Miss Eloise Josephine Shepherd, daughter of Mrs Josephine Jenkins Shepherd of Washington, and Ch Petty Officer Leon Mayo Doane, Jr, USN, son of Mr & Mrs L M Doane.

ELY-WILSON—Married at the First Methodist Church, Salt Lake City, Utah, 24 Nov 1949, Miss Joy Wilson, daughter of Brig Gen John H Wilson, Ret, & Mrs Wilson, and Dr Robert Stewart Ely, MD, son of Dr & Mrs Orriman Stewart Ely of St Paul, Minn.

FEAR-SWINDLER—Married at Our Lady of Victory Chapel, US Naval Base, Norfolk, Va, 25 Nov 1949, Miss Alice Joan Swindler, daughter of Col Leland Stanford Swindler, USMC, and the late Mrs Swindler, and Mr Robert James Fear, son of Mrs Preston David Chambers of Drexel Hill, Pa.

HASTINGS-THIEL—Married at St Dominic's Catholic Church, Baltimore, Md, 5 Nov 1949, Miss Helen Marie Thiel, daughter of Mr & Mrs William A Thiel, and Mr Richard E Hastings, Jr, son of Lt Cmdr R E Hastings, USCG, & Mrs Hastings of Baltimore, Md.

HOEFER-GOULD—Married at Seager, NY, 24 Nov 1949, Mrs Silvia Gould and Lt Cmdr Ernst Hoefer, Jr, USN.

HOFFMAN-MURRAY—Married at the St Francis De Sales Church, Washington, DC, recently, Miss Helen Lorraine Murray, daughter of Capt & Mrs Allan A Murray, and Mr James Bernard Hoffman, son of Mr & Mrs John E Hoffman.

JOHNSON-CRANNER—Married at the US Naval Sta Chapel, North Island, Coronado, Calif, 19 Nov 1949, Mrs Virginia Lambert Cranner and Lt William Harold Johnson, USN.

JOHNSON-SIMMONS—Married at St Jerome's Church, Hyattsville, Md, 24 Nov 1949, Miss Marjorie Elizabeth Simmons, daughter of Mr & Mrs Harry Edward Simmons, and Lt John Merle Johnson, Jr, USMC, son of Mr & Mrs J M Johnson of Clarkburg, WVa.

KAY-STONER—Married at the Army Medical Center Memorial Chapel, Washington, DC, 26 Nov 1949, Capt Evelyn V Stoner, ANC, daughter of Mr & Mrs John D Stoner of Reading, Pa, and Mr Raymond Kay of New York City.

KELLY-BIFULCO—Married at the Sacred Heart Rectory, Washington, DC, 24 Nov 1949, Miss Annamarie Bifulco, daughter of Mr & Mrs Vittorio Bifulco of Ottawa, Canada, and Ens Richard W Kelly, USN, son of Mr & Mrs Philip J Kelly of Scarsdale, NY.

LEHMAN-CONSTANT—Married at the Mission San Carlos de Borromeo, Carmel, Calif, 5 Nov 1949, Mrs Alida Browne Constant, daughter of Col Boyer Brockenbrough Browne, USA-Ret, & Mrs Browne, and Lt Raymond Godfrey Lehman, Jr, son of Maj Gen Raymond G Lehman, USA-Ret, & Mrs Lehman.

LYLE-HALEY—Married at Grace Church, Providence, RI, 26 Nov 1949, Miss Nancy Eddy Haley, daughter of Mr & Mrs John Williams Haley of Providence, and Mr Alexander Gordon Lyle, Jr, son of Vice Adm A G Lyle, USN-Ret, & Mrs Lyle of Portsmouth, RI.

MacCONNELL-HOOKER—Married at Paris, France, 24 Nov 1949, Mrs George Keillor Hooker, daughter of Mr & Mrs Murray Inness, and widow of Capt G K Hooker, USMC, and Mr Walton Jerome MacConnell of La Jolla, Calif.

MIDDLETON-JUVENAL—Married at the First Presbyterian Church, Findlay, Ohio, 25 Nov 1949, Miss Suzanne Juvenal, daughter of Rear Adm & Mrs William Williams Juvenal, and Lt Austin Burt Middleton, USMC, son of Mr & Mrs A B Middleton of Deer Lodge, Mont.

MILLER-FREE—Married at Brenham, Tex, 22 Nov 1949, Miss Dorothy E Free of Brenham, and M/Sgt Adrian E Miller, regular Army instructor at Allen Military Academy, Bryan, Tex.

MOORE-MITCHEL—Married at the Post Chapel, Ft Knox, Ky, 19 Nov 1949, Mrs Eleanor Mitchell, daughter of Mr & Mrs W C Robb of Seattle, Wash, and Capt Ray Moore, son of Mrs Raymond Moore, Bellingham, Wash.

NILO-COOK—Married at the Naval Communications Chapel, Washington, DC, 23 Nov 1949, Mrs Alice Ball Cook of Washington and Raleigh, NC, daughter of the late Mr & Mrs Jesse G Ball of Washington, and Rear Adm Leo William Nilon, USN-Ret.

NOTTINGHAM-SEARS—Married at the Chapel Center, Yokohama, Japan, 10 Nov 1949, Miss Nancy Lee Sears, daughter of Col & Mrs Ralph Randolph Sears, and Capt Allen Hutton Nottingham, son of Mr & Mrs Roul Nottingham of Nashville, Tenn.

PITCHFORD-DEGRAFF—Married at the Post Chapel, Cp Sendai, Japan, 12 Nov 1949, Miss Shirley A DeGraff, daughter of Col & Mrs Barth DeGraff now in Tokyo, and Lt Harold Pitchford.

STANLEY-LEE—Married at Tokyo, Japan, 19 Oct 1949, Miss Katherine Elizabeth Lee, daughter of Col & Mrs Eric Lee, and Mr Raymond Earl Stanley, Jr, son of Mr & Mrs R E Stanley of Alexandria, Va.

STUTLER-RAMSEY—Married at Oak Knoll Chapel, US Naval Hosp, Oakland, Calif, recently, Lt Edna May Ramsey, NC, USAF, and Lt (jg) David R Stutler, MSC, USN.

TAYLOR-TOPPER—Married at St Andrews Episcopal Church, Honolulu, HI, 5 Nov 1949, Miss Nancy Lee Topper, daughter of Capt & Mrs James Russell Topper, and Lt (jg) Thaddeus Morrison Taylor, USN, son of Mrs Lela R Taylor of Johnson City, Tenn.

WADELL-BOULWARE—Married at San Antonio, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, Lt Verna Mae Boulware, ANC, of Brooke Army Med Cen, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, and Mr Emmanuel Wadeall, attorney-at-law in San Antonio, Tex.

WAGNER-WHORTON—Married at the Post Chapel, Randolph AFB, Tex, 19 Nov 1949, Miss Helen Maureen Whorton, daughter of Mr & Mrs Dana Wilson Whorton of Wichita Falls, Tex, and 2d Lt Raymond Joseph Wagner.

WESTPHALL-DRAKE—Married at the David Adams Memorial Chapel, US Naval Base, Norfolk, Va, 12 Nov 1949, Miss Nannette Diane Drake, daughter of Capt Harold L Drake, USNR, & Mrs Drake of Norfolk, and Lt Howard Arden Westphall, USMC, son of Mrs Arthur Kammer of Phoenix, Ariz, & Mr

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GAUDET—Died at US Naval Hosp, Bethesda, Md, 26 Nov 1949. Mrs Pauline M Gaudet, wife of Lt Edward F Gaudet, USN. Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter and two sons. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

GRANT—Died at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 26 Nov 1949. Maj Charles Harold Grant, USA. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Frances Ford Grant, and a daughter, Rosemarie. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington.

HAYES—Died at Walter Reed Gen Hosp, Washington, DC, 25 Nov 1949. Maj Gen Philip Hayes, USA-Ret. He is survived by his twin sister, Miss Helen Hayes, and his mother, Mrs Mary F Hayes, with whom he had lived in Baltimore since his retirement. Requiem mass was held at the Post Chapel, Ft Myer, Va, 28 Nov, and burial was at Grand Forks, N.Dak.

HERWIG—Died at Annapolis, Md, 30 Nov 1949. Mrs Mary Amelia Herwig, widow of Lt Cmdr Henry Herwig, USN-Ret. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

HOPKINS—Died at Gainesville, Fla, 25 Nov 1949. Col Samuel R Hopkins, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Alice McNair Hopkins of 641 Hilldale Rd, Gainesville; by a son, Cadet Fred J Hampton, USMA; a daughter, Mrs John H Meyer, wife of Lt Col Meyer, now in Heidelberg, Germany, and a granddaughter, Alice Louise Meyer. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

HYLAND—Died at US Naval Hosp, St Albans, LI, NY, 24 Nov 1949. Capt John J Hyland, USN-Ret. Surviving are his widow, Mrs Josephine Walker Hyland of Old Saybrook, Conn; four children, Cmdrs John J Hyland, Jr, Operations Officer, USS Kearns, and William W Hyland, stationed in Washington, DC; Mrs Arthur Peel of Waterbury, Conn; Miss Mary Hyland of Boston, and six grandchildren.

JORDAN—Died at Los Angeles, Calif, 22 Nov 1949. Col Lambert Whitfield Jordan, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Susan Carpenter Jordan of 824 Birchwood Drive, Los Angeles 24, Calif.

LUTZ—Died at the 124th Sta Hosp, Linz, Austria, 13 Nov 1949. Mrs Kathryn Lutz, wife of Col Robert C Lutz, Deputy Director, USACA. Besides her husband she is survived by a daughter, Miss Barbara Lutz, and by a son, Cpl Robert C Lutz of Cp Gordon, Ga.

MATSON—Died at Jackson, Miss, 14 Oct 1949. Maj John A Matson, Ret.

MOHLER—Died in the crash of a B-25 he was piloting near Birmingham, Ala, 26 Nov 1949. Col Orville E Mohler, USAF. Col Mohler was a former star quarterback for the Univ of Southern Calif, and All-American for 1930. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Bernardine Mohler, and a daughter, Gretchen Anne.

NELSON—Died at his home in Berlin, Germany, 11 Nov 1949. 1st Lt Alvin Theodore Nelson, USAF. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Rosemary Nelson.

POORE—Died at Valley Forge Gen Hosp, Phoenixville, Pa, 27 Nov 1949. Mrs Lydia Gibbs Poore, wife of Lt Edward Waldron Poore, USN-Ret. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs Janet P Manov, wife of Maj Charles F Manov, now stationed at the Univ of Pa, Philadelphia; and by a granddaughter, Susan Ann Manov.

RICHARDS—Died in the crash of a B-25 in which he was co-pilot, near Birmingham, Ala, 26 Nov 1949. Col Robert B Richards, USAF.

RITTER—Died at Munich, Germany, 11 Nov 1949. S/Sgt Frank D Ritter, Jr, USAF, the result of an automobile accident.

ROSE—Died at March AFB, Calif, 17 Nov 1949. Maj Lynn T Rose, MSC.

SMALL—Killed in the crash of an American Airlines DC-6 at Love Field, Dallas, Tex, 28 Nov 1949. Maj William Johnstone Small, AF. Survivors include his wife, Mrs June Small, and a one-year-old daughter, Cynthia.

STAFF—Died at a RAF Hosp, Berlin, Germany, 25 Nov 1949. S/Sgt John E Staff, USAF.

WHEELER—Died at Goshen, NY, 25 Nov 1949. Mrs Ralph N Wheeler, mother of S/Sgt Thomas G Wheeler, AF.

WHITFIELD—Died at Grant Hosp, Columbus, Ohio, 27 Nov 1949. Mrs Dana B Whitfield, wife of Col Robert Whitfield, USA-Ret.

Obituaries

Maj. Gen. Philip Hayes, USA-Ret.
Maj. Gen. Philip Hayes, USA-Ret., former Commanding General of the Third Service Command, Army Ground Forces, died 25 Nov. at Walter Reed Gen-

eral Hospital, Washington, D. C.

General Hayes was born at Portage, Wisc, in 1887. He was commissioned a Second Lieutenant of Infantry upon graduation from the U. S. Military Academy in 1909. He was assigned to the 2d Field Artillery in the Philippines Islands in 1916.

In January, 1940, General Hayes became Chief of Staff of the Hawaiian Department and remained in that post until November 1941, when he was assigned to the 9th Infantry at Fort Bragg, N. C.

He was named Chief of Staff, Headquarters, First Corps Area, Boston, Mass., in March, 1942, and became Commanding General of the Third Service Command at Baltimore in December, 1943.

General Hayes is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary F. Hayes of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Kathryn Lutz

Mrs. Kathryn Lutz, wife of Col. Robert C. Lutz, deputy director, USACA, died suddenly on 13 Nov. at the 124th Station Hospital, Linz, Austria.

Mrs. Lutz, who was in Linz on a visit with her husband, was stricken at the Guglhof Officers' Rest Center, where she was a guest.

Memorial services were held in the chapel of the 110th Station Hospital in Vienna.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Lutz is survived by a daughter, Barbara, who is in Austria, and Cpl. Robert C. Lutz of Camp

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The Lutz home is in Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Lydia Gibbs Poore

Mrs. Lydia Gibbs Poore died at Valley Forge General Hospital, Phoenixville, Pa, 27 Nov. following an illness of over a year.

A native of California where she had made her home for many years, she is survived by a daughter, Janet, wife of Maj. Charles F. Manov, USA, stationed at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, and daughter of

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Obituaries*(Continued from Preceding Page)*

Lt. Edward Waldron Poore, USN-(Ret.); and by a grand-daughter, Susan Ann Manov.

Memorial services will be held at the chapel at Valley Forge General Hospital on Sunday afternoon, 4 Dec.

Friends are asked not to send flowers but rather to make contribution to the National Research Council of the American Cancer Society, 2101 Constitution Ave., Washington 25, D. C.

Maj. Charles H. Grant, USA

Maj. Charles H. Grant, 48, an enlisted man and officer in the Army for more than 29 years, died 26 Nov., at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., following an illness of three months. Major Grant was attached to Headquarters, Army Security Agency.

A native of Lawrence, Mass., Major Grant enlisted in Feb. 1920. He was a master sergeant when he received a direct commission as a first lieutenant 12 Dec. 1942.

During most of his service, Major Grant was attached to the Signal Corps and in the latter phases of the Philippine campaign he was commanding officer of the Ninth Detachment, Second Signal Battalion. He was assigned to Army Security Agency in 1947.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Frances F. Grant, and daughter, Rosemarie, 15, of 4305 32d Road, South, Arlington, Va., and two brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services were held 30 Nov., with full military honors at the Fort Myer (Va.) Chapel. Interment followed in Arlington National Cemetery.

Navy Dental Command

The title "Dental Officer in Command" has been changed to "Commanding Officer" by Bureau of Naval Personnel orders in the cases of the following listed officers:

Capt. Clifford E. Allen, DC, USN—Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Clinic, Naval Gun Factory, Washington, D. C.

Capt. Andrew L. Burleigh, DC, USN—Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Clinic, Brooklyn, New York.

Capt. Macy G. Martin, DC, USN—Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Clinic, Guam.

Capt. Merritte M. Maxwell, DC, USN—Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Clinic, Naval Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Capt. Louis D. Mitchell, Jr., DC, USN—Commanding Officer, Naval Dental School, National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

Comdr. Joseph H. Scanlon, DC, USN—Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Clinic, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

Canadian Officers Visit

Maj. Gen. M. H. S. Penhale, Commanding General of the Western Defense Command of Canada; Lt. Col. M. R. Dare, Headquarters, Western Command; and Lt. Col. R. A. Keane, Headquarters, Royal Canadian Army, were guests of Maj. Gen. John M. Devine, Commanding General, 9th Infantry Division, Ft. Dix, N. J., 27 Nov.

Among the officers accompanying Generals Penhale and Devine were: Cols. T. E. Buechler and L. H. Hamm, Headquarters, Fifth Army, Chicago, Ill.; Col. Nelson I. Fooks, Commanding Officer, 39th Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division; Lt. Col. Leon O. Pond, Assistant Chief, G-3 Section, 9th Infantry Division; Maj. Thomas E. Hickman and Capt. John E. Fuller, both of the G-3 Section, 9th Infantry Division.

FINANCE MERCHANT MARINE**Lockheed's Peace Record**

Evidence that industrial warfare is not inevitable, even when companies and unions are faced with unusually difficult and complicated problems, is presented in the sixth "Case Study of the Causes of Industrial Peace Under Collective Bargaining" in the series of 15 to be issued by the National Planning Association.

The "Case Study" records the 12-year, no-strike relationship between Lockheed Aircraft Corporation of Burbank, Calif., and Lodge 727 of the International Association of Machinists (unaffiliated).

The on-the-spot investigation of the Lockheed-IAM relationship was the work of Committee Member Clark Kerr, Director, Institute of Industrial Relations, University of California, and George Halverson, formerly at the Institute and now Field Examiner in the San Francisco Regional Office, National Labor Relations Board.

In announcing the publication of the Case Study, the NPA said:

"The parties together have developed an unusual measure of joint participation. On both sides the capacity and opportunity for self-reliance have existed. Neither party has felt bound by policies followed elsewhere in the industry."

"Lockheed contributed to peace by voluntarily recognizing the union at the start. It was the first company in the airframe industry in Southern California to agree to collective bargaining and it has given the union continued acceptance. Generally, Lockheed has pursued a progressive and flexible approach to bargaining. Independently and in cooperation with IAM, the company has developed a personnel program which has had a major constructive effect on the Lockheed-IAM bargaining system. It has a reputation for liberal treatment of its employees, has been a leader in its industry in regard to holidays, overtime payments, paid vacations, sick leave, insurance plans; it has devoted careful attention to selection of new employees, to developing a safe, healthful, and congenial working environment. Were it not for the joint participation of the union in some of its activities in regard to recreational and personal needs of employees, a degree of paternalism might be ascribed to the company policies. As worked out, however, an unusual degree of union-management cooperation in the constructive advancement of employee welfare has evolved."

"IAM, on its part, has 'accepted' the company and has promoted no ideological quarrel over the private ownership and operation of the industry. The local union has had the benefit of advice and help from representatives of a seasoned and responsible international union, but it has had high degree of local autonomy. It is noted for its democratic administration, and the leaders of the local have been alert, aggressive, and honest. The international union and the union have had comparatively little trouble with continuing internal struggles for dominance between 'left' and 'right' leaders, though the local was plagued for a while by internal competition from 'leftist' leaders. The union has made a special effort to educate shop stewards and to stimulate membership participation in the union."

"The relationship was most strained during the war period, 1942-1945, and during 1947 and 1948 when the company lost money heavily and feared for its very survival. The relationship is currently harmonious and, although its continuation in the future is 'by no means guaranteed,' the Committee and authors note that 'the habit of peace does tend to perpetuate itself.'

Losses and German Fleet

Lloyd's Register recently issued its wreck returns for 1948 which shows that 203 vessels totaling 232,934 gross tons were totally lost or condemned, in consequence of casualty or stress of weather. Cases of ships broken up not known to be in consequence of casualty or stress of weather totaled 223 vessels of 733,128 gross tons.

The gross reduction in the merchant fleet of the world from all causes is shown as 426 vessels, totaling 966,062 gross tons for the year 1948. *Lloyd's* figures indicate that Holland and the United States have the best records in respect of tonnage owned, with 11% and 12% respectively. Great Britain and Northern Ireland are listed at 14%, while Norway returns a loss ratio of 58%.

There has been a gradual revival of German shipping activity since the end of the war, with German-owned and operated ships carrying about 5,000,000 tons of cargo in 1948, compared with 3,000,000 tons in 1947 and 1,000,000 tons in 1946, a British survey indicates. Last week it was reported from London that, according to diplomatic officials, the United States, Great Britain, and France have agreed that the West German Republic is entitled to build an unlimited number of cargo vessels up to 7,200 gross tons with a speed of 12 knots loaded and about 13.5 knots light, and to construct eight larger and faster cargo ships without such limitations up to a total of some 90,000 tons.

Airline Cargo Increase

Colonial Airlines reported a 279% domestic air freight increase for the first nine months of this year as against a comparative period last year. Sigmund Janas, president, announced 30 Nov. This represents 778,213 pounds of domestic freight with the biggest amount carried during the months of August and September.

W. V. McTaggart, the company's cargo director, pointed out that fall shipping season is always outstanding due to medicinal shipments, winter clothing and an increase of automotive parts.

Several boosts in rail rates throughout the year of 1949 swung many shippers over to air freight, company officials pointed out.

Increases in domestic mail for the same period came to 42.5% and for domestic air express 29.2%.

Due to huge cargo increases so far this year, Colonial is considering the possibility of securing an all-freight plane of a type that would most logically fit the structure of its route system.

Honor Lt. Sheldon

The establishment of a scholarship in the Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs at Princeton University in memory of William DuBois Sheldon of Washington, a graduate in the Class of 1934 and a naval lieutenant in World War II, was announced this week by President Harold W. Dodds.

Mr. Sheldon, a son of Rear Adm. Luther Sheldon, Jr., (MC) USN-Ret., graduated first in his class at Quonset Point, R. I., participated in the landings in the Solomons, served throughout the Guadalcanal campaign with a flight squadron and received the Silver Star medal for bravery under fire. He died 10 March 1943 at the Marine Corps Air Station, El Centro, Cal., of complications resulting from tropical diseases contracted in the Southwest Pacific.

Division Engineer to Retire

Col. Dwight F. Johns, CE, USA, Division Engineer, South Pacific Division, Oakland, Calif., announces that he has filed his application for retirement after more than 37 years' service. Colonel Johns' retirement will become effective 31 Dec.

Colonel Johns has been in his present assignment since March of 1947, having previously served as Assistant Chief of Engineers for Military Operations in Washington, D. C. Prior to that he was Commandant, The Engineer School, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Adm. Sherman Views the Future*(Continued from Page 355)*

pect to find in the fleet a third type—the anti-submarine task force in recognition of the seriousness of the submarine threat and our major responsibility for insuring the safe movement of men and supplies by sea."

Amphibious operations, Admiral Sherman stated, "will continue to play an important part in the Navy of the future." Even though weapons of mass destruction, such as the atomic bomb, will exert a "profound influence," he said, "they will not change the fundamental necessity in war for moving men and materiel into overseas positions. They will not reduce the benefits that control of the sea brings in permitting selection of time and place of attack while forcing on the enemy overwhelming defensive commitments."

He said that the Navy "may expect a highly coordinated and highly flexible use of both airborne and amphibious elements," and that it must develop speed in preparation, speed in movement to the objective, and speed in getting troops and supplies ashore and disbursed. "Speed and dispersal," he said, "will help to avoid heavy concentrations on the shore lines, as will the use of separated attack points and by greater use of preliminary infiltrations."

Admiral Sherman emphasized that the three fighting Services "must become a single, versatile team with the single purpose of the security of our country." He said that it is the Navy's business, in that team, "to shape the country's naval forces so they contribute their maximum to the total fighting strength of the nation."

End Joint USA-USAF Regs

The Army and Air Force have announced mutual agreement on a policy which will require replacement by either separate Air Force or Joint Army-Air Force publications of Joint Army and Air Force Adjustment Regulations published prior to 26 July 1949, when the Air Force was separated finally from the Army.

Air Force staff officers have been instructed in HOL 5-18 to submit by 1 April required drafts of separate AF publications. Before 15 Dec., USAF staff offices are to submit a report to the Air Adjutant General concerning JAAFARS which are considered to have continuing applicability after 25 July 1950.

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Defense Legislation

Senators Scott W. Lucas, (D-Ill.) and Kenneth S. Wherry (R-Neb.), the leaders of their respective parties in the U. S. Senate, have each compiled and issued reports on the legislative record of the recently concluded first session of the Eighty-first Congress.

Following are those portions of their reports telling of the legislation concerning the National Defense:

SEN. LUCAS, DEMOCRAT
National Military Establishment
(Public Law 216. Approved August 10, 1949)

Brings all branches of the armed services under the unified directorship and control of the Secretary of Defense, but does not merge them. Provides for the effective strategic directorship of the armed forces and for their integration into an efficient team of land, naval, and air forces.

Under Secretary of Defense
(Public Law 36. Approved April 2, 1949)

Provides for the appointment of an Under Secretary of Defense to be appointed from civilian life by the President, and with the consent of the Senate. The duties of the Secretary of Defense are of such magnitude and diversity as to require an additional official, such as an Under Secretary, to assist in the performance of those duties.

Guided Missiles
(Public Law 60. Approved May 11, 1949)

Authorizes the Secretary of the Air Force to establish a joint long-range proving ground for guided missiles and other weapons. This proving ground will be used jointly by the Army, Navy, and Air Force for scientific study, testing, and training purposes. The required facilities for such a proving ground are: (1) A base area with suitable launching site, technical and administrative facilities; (2) a flight-test range at least 3,000 miles long, thoroughly instrumented by means of observation stations for the first 500 miles and with impact areas at various points along the line of flight; (3) a suitable climate for year-round operations.

Guided-Missile Laboratory
(Public Law 386. Approved October 25, 1949)

Authorizes construction and equipment of guided missile research laboratory for National Bureau of Standards. This laboratory building is to play a part in an extensive guided-missile program which is being expanded as an important factor in the overall development of arms.

Land-Based Air Warnings
(Public Law 30. Approved March 30, 1949)

Authorizes the Secretary of the Air Force to establish a system of land-based aircraft warning and control facilities for the defense of the United States against attack by enemy aircraft. The system of land-based air warning is the indispensable element without which there can be no effective defense at all against approaching hostile aircraft. Its most important function is the detection of enemy aircraft in sufficient time to permit fighter aircraft to intercept and destroy them before they have reached their targets.

Central Intelligence Agency
(Public Law 110. Approved June 20, 1949)

The purpose of this act is to grant to the Central Intelligence Agency the authority necessary for its proper administration. It protects the confidential nature of the Agency's functions and makes provisions for the internal administration of the Agency.

Transsonic and Supersonic Wind-Tunnel Facilities
(Public Law 415. Approved October 27, 1949)

Authorizes the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics and the Secretary of Defense to develop and direct jointly a unitary plan for the construction of transonic and supersonic wind-tunnel facilities and the establishment of an Air Engineering Development Center for the purpose of research, development, and evaluation problems in aeronautics.

Experimental Submarines
(Public Law 213. Approved August 8, 1949)

The purpose of this act is to remove existing limitations on the cost of the construction of two prototype, experimental submarines. The submarines will embody all of the new developments in submarine warfare, including higher speeds, snorkel devices, and other highly classified ordnance and electronic devices.

Armed Forces—Pay
(Public Law 351. Approved October 12, 1949)

Revamps the pay, allowances, and physical disability retirement provisions for members of the armed services, Public Health Service, National Guard, and the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Military Installations—Construction
(Public Law 420. Approved October 27, 1949)

Provides construction authorization for specific projects required immediately by the Department of Defense at locations in Alaska and Okinawa and to authorize the appropriation of funds to carry out these projects.

Army Quartermaster Corps—Research Laboratory

(Public Law 424. Approved October 28, 1949)

Authorizes the acquisition of land and the construction of a research laboratory for the Quartermaster Corps. The construction of the laboratory will facilitate the work of Quartermaster research and will result in greater efficiency and economy, and will enable the employment of competent scientists.

Atomic Energy
(Public Law 347. Approved October 11, 1949)

Amends the Atomic Energy Act of 1946 by authorizing the reorganization of the Military Liaison Committee. The Committee shall consist of a Chairman, without regard to civilian or military status, a representative or representatives of the Army, Navy, and Air Force in such number as the Secretary of Defense may determine. The Committee Chairman is to be appointed by the President with the consent of the Senate, and shall receive compensation at a rate prescribed by law for the Chairman of the Munitions Board. The Atomic Energy Commission will consult with the Committee on all atomic-energy matters which the Committee deems to relate to military applications, including the development, manufacture, use, and storage of bombs, the allocation of fissionable material for military research, and the control of information relating to the manufacture or utilization of atomic weapons. As amended, any active or retired officer of the Army, Navy, or Air Force may serve as Chairman of the Committee without prejudice to his commissioned status.

Atomic Energy Appropriations
(Public Law 422. Approved October 28, 1949)

Amends the Independent Offices Appropriation Act for 1950, removing the restriction relating to construction projects of the Atomic Energy Commission. Enables AEC to move ahead on projects necessary for defense and security.

Alaskan Railroad
(Public Law 391. Approved October 26, 1949)

Authorizes survey for potential construction of link to connect United States Canadian Railway with Alaskan Railway.

Alaska Communications System
(Public Law 414. Approved October 27, 1949)

Authorizes the Secretary of Army to proceed with 5-year housing and operations buildings program at stations of the Alaska communications system.

Security Information
(Passed Senate April 11, 1949. Pending in House Judiciary)

The purpose of this bill is to prevent the disclosure of important information about the United States communication intelligence activities and all direct information about all United States codes and ciphers. It would strengthen the Espionage Act of 1917 and the act of June 10, 1933, thereby increasing our security measures.

SEN. WHERRY, REPUBLICAN
National Security Act Amendments of 1949
(Public Law 216. Approved August 10, 1949)

These amendments follow recommendations of the Hoover Commission to revise the action taken by the Eightieth Congress toward unifying the armed services. The law passed in the Eightieth Congress, to which these amendments are offered, was the first unification legislation enacted although all previous Congresses since Pearl Harbor had voted the need for unification.

Under Secretary of Defense
(Public Law 36. Approved April 2, 1949)

Following the Hoover Commission recommendations, this law revises the unification law enacted by the Eightieth Congress to create this new position.

Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949
(Public Law 110. Approved June 20, 1949)

The Eighty-first Congress revised the administration of this Agency which was established under the terms of the Unification Act of 1947, enacted by the Eightieth Congress.

(Military) Career Compensation Act of 1949
(Public Law 351. Approved October 12, 1949)

The Eighty-first Congress revised the military-pay schedule on the basis of information gathered by the Hoover Commission established in the Eightieth Congress.

Long-Range Proving Ground for Guided Missiles
(Public Law 60. Approved May 11, 1949)

This legislation authorized expenditure of \$75,000,000 for construction of installations necessary for development of an existing program.

Land-Based Air Warning System (Radar)
(Public Law 30. Approved March 30, 1949)

Continuing a long-range program for adequate national defense, this legislation authorizes the Secretary of the Air Force to establish land-based air warning and control installations and facilities and authorizes expenditure of \$85,500,000.

Unitary Wind Tunnel Plan and Air Engineering Development Center
(Public Law 415. Approved October 27, 1949)

This legislation enlarges the present pro-

gram of national preparedness by authorizing construction of experimental and testing facilities in the field of transonic and supersonic aeronautics.

Further Naval Reductions

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tional security as military strength. It would be folly to build military might at the cost of national solvency. The staggering price of fighting a war subordinates to irrelevance the expenditures made to prepare for war. The latter would be useless if they should cause the former to become impossible. That is why military budgets in peacetime dominate the thinking and planning of those responsible for the administration of the three departments of the Military Establishment. As a result military planners never view their current status with definite contentment. In peacetime, there is always too much lacking in what they know they should have and which they would have if the budget could stand the strain.

Further Reductions Inevitable

"Such financial cramps always produce operational convulsions of alarming violence in our military structure. The Navy is in the throes of the contractual spasms which the unavoidable postwar reductions make inevitable. There is no anesthetic except bigger and higher military budgets that would entirely dull the senses to the shock and pain which must be endured as the prognosis of our financial shortages unfolds. But bigger military budgets are impossible. Even further reductions in the total cost of current military preparedness are inescapable. Deficit financing for Army, Navy and Air Force purposes in peacetime is out. The taxpayer is burdened beyond endurance. He cannot be further squeezed for revenue without dangerously impairing his productive capacity and gravely threatening extinguishment of the nation's economic life. Greater economies and sterner forbearance in the expenditure of public funds cannot be evaded. The Navy has its share of further reducing pains to endure. No uncalculated risk at present looms on the international horizon to reflect wisdom in any other course.

"It is in the light of the foregoing considerations that I conclude and represent that our Navy today meets our requirements in most particulars.

"It fairly well does that in its material elements.

"It does that splendidly in the standards, morale and number of its personnel.

"The Navy, in the fulfillment of its primary and collateral functions as assigned to it in the Key West and Newport meetings of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Secretary of Defense in March and August 1948, is assured of leaders capable of directing its operations to a successful performance of the roles and missions which shall be entrusted to it in peace and in war. Its enlisted personnel is alert, physically fit and loyal. Its officers are seasoned by appropriate education and rugged experience. They know their duty. Their faith in the country, in their men and in themselves is unflattering. Their segregated responsibilities will be met and discharged in typical Navy manner in every instance. Such facilities as are made available to them will be utilized to the utmost in pursuit of the prosaic missions of peacetime and the remorseless purposes of war.

Navy Functions Unchanged

"The present and future functions of the Navy differ little from its past commitments. Fortunately, since the Key West and Newport meetings they are more definitely determined and better defined than previously. "In the statement of the functions of the Armed Forces and Joint Chiefs of Staff promulgated by Secretary of Defense Forrestal after the Key West meeting, the primary function of the Navy is defined to be 'to organize, train and equip Navy and Marine Forces for the conduct of prompt and sustained combat operations at sea, including operations of sea-based aircraft and their land-based naval air components.' "Specific elements of those primary functions are enumerated in the Key West paper along with certain collateral functions assigned to the Navy. It all sums up, however, in the civilian's idea that it is the Navy's job to retain for this country and the free democracies of the world the absolute command of the sea at all times.

"That is a new role for America. In the past Great Britain was the superior naval power in the family of nations. She primarily safeguarded the freedom of the seas. Through no wish of hers, that mission has become an unavoidable responsibility of the United States. It has brought with it the almost incalculable burdens which it involves even in peacetime.

"By the force of Destiny, America has become preeminent among the freedom-loving peoples of mankind. At the same time the great oceans that wash our shores, through the modern miracles of air transportation, have become less formidable as barriers to a hostile foe than great rivers were to warring populations in previous generations. It is an immeasurably more complicated problem to exercise world leadership under present world conditions than it was in former pe-

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riods of history. Only the wisest statesmanship with the most prudent husbanding of our national resources can successfully direct our course through the hazardous areas of current international conflicts without disaster.

"Our motives are bound to be misinterpreted. Our purposes are sure to be misjudged, in some instances, even by kindly disposed sister nations. Responsibility in any instance implies the right to and possession of the necessary authority to discharge the obligations which such responsibility entails. In our role of world leadership with the necessity for firm action as controversial situations develop we must be in a position to sustain the government in its decisions and procedures.

"In the evolution of our national life we have accordingly acquired a stature in international affairs where our prestige can be properly maintained only by the demonstration of adequate military power. For the first time in our history we are faced with the unavoidable necessity of supporting a large military establishment in peacetime. The magnitude of that obligation will impose an unsupportable cost on our national economy unless every conceivable precaution is invoked to prevent avoidable expenditures and produce the maximum of efficiency in the Army, the Navy and the Air Force.

Unification

"It was from such a need that unification of our Armed Forces emanated.

"Unification represents a fundamental alteration in the nation's previous method of providing for the national defense under the terms of the Federal Constitution. It is in accord with the flexibility of that immortal charter of liberty as it keeps step with our national development.

"Few will question the good of harmonizing the operations of the Army, the Navy and the Air Force in the interest of national security. Such a result is a direct response to popular demand. In private business it would make good sense to effect such a change. What can be wrong in appropriating good business methods for use in the management of governmental affairs?

"I fervently believe in the policy of unification. I am convinced that it will ultimately be universally regarded as one of the most constructive developments in the evolution of our system of government.

"At this date unification is becoming an accomplished fact. In some phases of its application it is still on trial. In its present legal provisions it is not frozen into an unadjustable strait-jacket for the armed forces. Its administrators are learning by trial and error. Experience is said to be the best of teachers, and experience with unification is affording convincing proof of the wisdom of the President and Congress in adopting the new structure for administering the armed forces.

"The final outcome will depend upon the executive ability and capacity for leadership of the Secretary of Defense and his Deputy. Without hesitation, and with no thought of apology, it is my privilege to say that in the persons of Louis Johnson and Steve Early this nation is being ably served in those two vital capacities.

"They are civilians just like you and me. They are rich in the experience of exacting and difficult governmental service. They are learned in domestic and international affairs. They are courageous in reaching decisions. They are uncompromising in their adherence to vital principles and essential policies. They are just, fair and generous to all of us who are their subordinates. They are conscious of their own grave responsibilities and of their solemn duties which their exalted offices involve.

"They know what our defense forces should comprise. They know no favorite among the three Departments of the Military Establishment. I can assure you that the Navy is being equitably treated. Confident as I am of that vital fact I can assure you, with no reservation whatever, that in the future the Navy will hold to the same honorable and distinguished course which has inspired the sublime traditions with which its record is enveloped, and because of that nobility of soul it will continue to merit the undiminished support and trust of your very superior organization, the Navy League of the United States."

Chemical Indoctrination Course

Course

The Chemical Corps announces that a new Chemical Indoctrination Course for Reserve Component Officers will be offered next summer at the Chemical Corps School, Army Chemical Center, Md. Three classes, limited to 100 students each, will be offered from 5 to 16 June, 19 to 30 June and from 10 to 21 July, 1950.

Its purpose is to provide orientation to active Chemical Corps Reservists, and National Guard officers in the latest developments and techniques in which the Chemical Corps has interest and responsibility.

Receive USA Commissions

From among a total of 1418 applications for permanent commissions from distinguished military students in the ROTC program, the Army this week released the names of 726 chosen for Regular Army commissions.

Additionally, the Army said that 66 students, under 21 years of age, will be commissioned upon reaching that age. Thus, a total of 792 were selected.

Those whose applications were submitted subsequent to the 5 Nov. deadline date are to be considered for appointment at a later time. There are a total of 270 applications in this category.

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Distinguished Military Students

Agnor, Herbert E. Jr
Akers, Peter L. Jr
Albright, R W. Jr
Alexander, John T
Allen, Ace
Alley, Bernard J
Allgood, Charles N
Ambrose, Bernard J
Andersen, Paul K
Anderson, Chas H. Jr
Andrews, E. P. Jr
Andrus, Frank
Armstrong, Chas R
Armstrong, C. C. Jr
Arnold, George H
Aronson, Alfred F
Aslaksen, Carroll
Astarita, Orazio J
Aten, Eugene R
Attaway, John D
Bachus, Walter O
Bacigalupi, E A
Bagley, James E
Balaguer-Rivera, J
Baldwin, Keith M
Balkcom, Mark C
Bamburg, Arnold L
Barnes, William M
Barnett, Thos H. Jr
Bateman, S. J. Jr
Beaumont, Robt B
Beck, Zebulon V. Jr
Beckner, David A
Belford, Robert E
Bell, Charles W
Bender, Warren G
Benson, Rodney G
Bernal, Frank S
Berenbaum, Esal
Berner, Lyle C
Berninger, Ed B
Berry, William T
Bickmore, Donald G
Billingsley, Jack D
Bingham, Harry S
Black, Lorne S
Black, William C. III
Bleeker, Julius W III
Blount, John B
Bocchino, Wm A
Boghossian, Paul O
Bohnett, Donald E
Bolin, Paul R
Bolling, Jesse B
Bolson, Carl D
Boyer, Robert M
Brammer, John L
Bransfield, Robert C
Bristol, John B
Britton, F. R. Jr
Brockman, Harry J
Brown, Albert B. Jr
Brown, David M
Brown, H T. Jr
Buchanan, Wm J
Bufford, Carroll W
Bullard, Wilver J
Bundy, Robert E
Bunn, Dudley T
Burack, Emanuel
Burch, Charles D
Burke, Lloyd L
Burkhardt, E W
Burton, Gary L. Jr
Busse, Robert A
Byrd, James W
Byrd, William F
Caffrey, J. V. Jr
Calhoun, Sam L
Callum, Graham P
Canetti-Gonzalez, L R
Caras, Louis S
Carlson, L. J. Jr
Carlton, Wm B
Carr, Baldwin R
Carr, Thomas W
Carrejo, Joe T
Cazin, F. C. Jr
Chait, Elliott
Chamberlin, R. G
Chegin, Lee J
Chirafisi, Donald
Clark, Ralph T
Clarke, Paul G. Jr
Cleary, A. B
Cleland, Frank A
Cockerham, J. W
Cogan, Carroll F
Cohen, Jacob T
Coleman, J. T. Jr
Collier, Joe H
Collins, Jack B
Collins, Joseph E
Colls, Lester L
Comstock, Keith G
Connick, J. P. Jr
Conroy, Bernard J
Cook, Dale J
Cooper, Claude W
Covach, John
Cowden, John E
Coxe, Robert L
Craft, Clayton
Craig, William H
Cramer, Harry
Cramer, Louis
Crane, David A
Crews, Harry C. Jr
Croton, Robert F
Cunningham, R G
Curtis, N. H. Jr
Curtis, Roland E
Dale, John N
Daly, Earl E. Jr
Daly, William M
Damon, Melvin H. Jr
Daniels, Alvin R
Danleison, H O
Dault, Raymond A
Davis, Carroll C
Davis, David H
Davis, Emmett I
Davis, James H
Day, Harvey C. Jr
Deitz, Charles E
DeVane, William L
DeWitt, Russell G
Dick, Adrian J
Dolan, Pierre J
Doleac, P C
Donovan, George M
Dorsey, Robert G
Dotson, J. T
Downs, M. H. Jr
Downes, T. W. Jr
Dreyer, Carl W
DuBoise, Grover A
Duchow, W A
Dufour, Raymond D
Dunley, James E
Echelmaner, H W
Effertz, Edward
Eggert, R. J. Jr
Elcher, William E
Einhorn, Sidney M
Elliedge, Charles C
Erb, William B
Eustis, Thomas B
Evans, Robert T
Fagg, Wayne B
Farmer, R. L
Feehan, John D
Feicht, Victor R
Fenderson, M. L
Ferguson, Richard
Fincher, Herbert A
Finigan, Burton B
Fisher, Emil, Jr
Fitzgibbons, E. T
Fletcher, Tyler H
Ford, Chas D. Jr
Fore, Earl R
Fox, Richard F
French, Cecil R
Fronczak, Edward L
Fryer, Appleton L
Gaddis, Billy T
Gaiter, Leonce E
Gallihier, Carl L. Jr
Ganung, George R
Garber, Robert W
Garrison, James M. Jr
Gaurner, Paul L
Gause, Thomas H
Gavin, Richard J
Geiger, Allen A
Gemmell, Thomas M
George, F. E
Gibson, Ross J
Gifford, James I. Jr
Gilbert, Edward E
Gilbert, G. A. Jr
Gilder, E. E. Jr
Gillman, George T
Gillman, John L
Glenn, Pascal P. Jr
Glover, William D
Goldenstein, S. J
Golding, Theo H
Gormley, Daniel J

Goulder, Lloyd L., Jr
Graham, George T
Graham, Willis B
Grandjean, Robert L
Green, Wm A, Jr
Greenberg, Robert A
Greenwald, Milton S
Greer, James F
Greider, Kenneth R
Gressette, John T
Griffith, Joel W
Griffiths, Samuel E
Grosvenor, Niles E
Grover, Stephen F
Gudkunst, James B
Hafen, Norman E
Hallway, Frederick X
Hammond, Warren E
Handy, Thomas R
Hanlon, Charles W
Hansen, Marcus W
Harsdastle, Howard S
Harris, Arthur B
Harris, Brady R
Harris, Louis A
Hart, Francis H
Hartnett, Joseph M
Harvey, George B, Jr
Hatcher, Warren E
Hay, Lawrence K, Jr
Hayden, Eugene B, Jr
Haynes, Andrew L
Haynes, Hall G
Hays, Jimmie C
Hazen, Franklin K, Jr
Helt, Je
Henderson, Billy J
Henderson, James M
Henderson, John K
Henley, Ralph G
Henley, Raymond D
Hewgley, Clarence T
Heyman, Paul D
Hickey, Wayne C, Jr
Hickland, Richard A
Hicks, David A
Higgins, Douglas J
Hiller-Rozas, E
Hill, Gene H
Hinman, Jack K
Hodgkins, C W
Hoffmann, E E
Holder, Louis L
Holko, John M, Jr
Hoppe, Robert B
Horn, Clifton A, Jr
Horne, James C
Howe, Kenneth B
Howell, Robert L
Huffine, Donald H
Huffman, Donald W
Hulbert, Chas W
Hull, Samuel W
Humphreys, Arthur
Hunter, G A, Jr
Hunter, John S
Hutchinson, Vern I
Hyer, Jack D
Ingalls, Robert E
Isley, Geo H, Jr
Jasper, Arthur W
Jenkins, Donald D
Jensen, Richard W
Johansen, Elvind H
John, Robert F
Johnson, Donald E
Johnson, James H
Johnson, Luther W
Johnson, Norman G
Johnson, Rolston
Jones, Clinton D
Jones, Fred S
Jones, James D
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Jose, Allan F
Joseph, J W, Jr
Jourdonnais, Jon A
Kallmeyer, August W
Kaping, Alvin E
Karn, E L, Jr
Kee, Albert F
Keeley, Arthur R
Keenan, William R
Keiler, Morris J
Kellett, Claud M, Jr
Kelley, Franklin E
Kelley, Johnny W
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Keessler, Robert F
Kim, Dewey H
King, Armand M
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Kitson, Harold, Jr
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Kreuer, John G
Kritzschmacher, E E
Kroesch, Robert E
Krum, Gordon D
Kubeja, Robert D
Kuiper, John B
Kury, Mark C
Kuuttila, Harold O
Labor, James D
Lafferty, John H
Lafloon, Donald M
LaFollette, Robert M
Landers, Louis L
Lane, William D
Larkin, Lee R
Larrabee, William M
Larson, Donald W
Lassetter, Stuart H
Laube, Thomas R
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Lawley, Eugene G
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Lawrence, William H
Lawson, Hassel K
Lee, Richard H
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Lewane, Leonard L
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Lindsay, S. M., II
Link, John J
Lively, Charles H
Livengood, Gale C
Long, Russell L
Long, William E
Looby, Robert W
Lorenzo, Michael E
Lowry, William P
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Lutz, Lon U
Lux, Arthur P
Lyons, James A
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Macmekkin, W S
Maddox, Thomas H
Maln, John W
Maj, Edward S
Marchant, G H, Jr
Marion, Charles B
Markham, Patrick G
Marsh, Jack R
Martin, Elmer C
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Mattison, George A
McCorkle, Pope, Jr
McCoy, Joseph L
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McDonald, D J, Jr
McDowell, John J
McDowell, Ralph L
McDuffie, Duncan D
McGay, Harold S
McGee, John E, Jr
McGuire, John J
McKeen, Alexander C
McLeod, Luther M, Jr
McMahon, Wilbur G
McMahon, Walter W
McNeil, Arlen A
Meacham, Charles H
Meade, Terrence S
Meenor, William H
Means, Charles R
Melsel, Robert C
Mendhjem, Billy J
Mendive, Lawrence C
Mercer, George M
Mercla, Leonard S
Metcalfe, William W
Metzger, William J
Michell, Robert W
Milbee, Paul G
Millener, G A, Jr
Miller, James I
Million, Glenn W
Miskelly, Howard L
Mobley, Gwinn N
Mock, David H
Modisett, Charles B
Moore, Fred J
Morgan, George R
Morgan, John J, Jr
Morrow, Billy M
Morrow, Robert L
Morse, Leonard J
Motika, Paul J, Jr
Motska, James H, Jr
Muir, William R
Mundy, W T, Jr
Munroe, Clark C
Myers, Jimmy D
Mylchrest, David B
Nave, Nicholas R, Jr
Neal, Barney K, Jr
Neslage, Oliver J, Jr
New, Virgil E
Nicholson, Robert N
Nordon, Ernest A, Jr
Norman, Max E
Northup, Kenneth E
Nursey, Jack W, Jr
Oberleitner, Paul F
Obluda, Roy E
O'Brien, Emmett J
Olivares, Jose E, Jr
Oliver, Douglas S
Oliver, James S
O'Rourke, M J, Jr
Overman, W C, Jr
Owen, Merrill R
Palmer, Don A
Palmer, W D, Jr
Panagiotakis, Z G
Paris, James M
Parker, Emmett B, Jr
Parker, J E, Jr

Parker, William L	Smith, Dwight W
Parsons, George L, Jr	Smith, Hansel Y, Jr
Pate, Sam G	Smith, James D
Patrick, William E	Smith, William B
Paulick, Ralph H	Sommeyer, H F
Penn, Thomas C	Sorensen, Charles A
Perecko, Paul J	Spanjers, James D
Perricelli, V J, Jr	Spencer, David R
Perry, Russell	Spencer, Richard A
Petersen, James H	Spiller, Robert E
Peterson, Daniel A	Spelman, Robert H
Phares, Raymond E	Spraker, Harry W, Jr
Phifer, Clifford J	Squires, John L, Jr
Pitman, L C, Jr	Stahl, Kenneth L
Pogue, Walter H, Jr	Statham, Richard W
Polick, George J	Steiner, Thomas E
Poole, Calvin M	Steinmetz, John C
Pope, Ewell G, Jr	Stewart, John K
Porter, Vernon R	Stewart, Warren F
Potts, Howard C	Stieve, Harold A
Price, William F	Stolz, Gustav, Jr
Pruitt, James C, Jr	Storch, William W
Quayle, Calvin K	Storer, Ivan M
Ramsey, John E	Strider, Carroll D
Randall, Earle D	Strother, Samuel D
Raper, William W, Jr	Strother, Duane A
Raskin, Alfred J	Talafuse, Darwin D
Ravizza, Eugene A	Talley, Philip E, Jr
Rawlings, Henry W	Tate, Lester K
Raybould, Lynn R	Tatem, Lloyd E
Reed, Walter W	Taylor, Franklin R
Reese, Thomas W	Terres, Geronimo, Jr
Reger, Joseph E	Thomason, Myron M
Reid, Roger S	Thomson, John H
Reimold, W L, Jr	Thomson, Raymond R
Reinhardt, Gough C	Thurmond, George E
Reiter, Rollin S	Tiemann, P W, Jr
Reniger, Douglas A	Timmerman, E L
Rennebaum, Robert E	Todd, William R
Rennie, Laurie E	Trachy, Lawrence J
Rennie, Wayland W	Tracy, Thomas E
Reynolds, John W	Tragert, William E
Rhodes, Nolan C	Turley, William D
Rhodes, Norman L	Vance, James W
Richardson, N E	Vanderbleek, Jack
Richmond, Thomas N	Vanderslice, R D
Ricker, James P	Vasington, Frank D
Rileman, Harry P	Vento, Salvatore J
Rlewe, Tillman A	Vickers, Millard M
Riley, Luke F, Jr	Vise, Louis L, Jr
Rivera-Vazquez, R	Waddell, Thomas K
Rivers, William P	Wade, David E
Robbins, George L	Walker, Luther G
Roberts, Kenneth P	Walker, Paul S
Robertson, Douglas R	Walkup, Glenn F
Robie, Frank D	Walraven, Harold C
Robinson, Donald L	Walsh, James J
Robinson, William C	Wanek, Robert F
Rodgers, T E, Jr	Ward, Bynum P
Romano, Vincent J	Warnock, F, Jr
Rondepielie, Jean R	Warren, John W
Ross, Harry R	Warren, William M
Ross, John E	Warrick, Duane E
Roy, Walter L	Watkins, Walton M
Royal, Willis C, Jr	Watson, James R
Rubin, Murray	Weaver, John E
Rushing, Robert O	Weber, John V
Sakowski, John M	Weber, Warren J
Santry, John P	Wedgworth, G H
Sapp, Alfred G	Welch, Earle M, Jr
Sargent, Wayne B	West, Frank M, Jr
Sather, Paul S	Weston, Orrville M, Jr
Seachmore, R D	Whap, Vorin E, Jr
Schaaf, Harry E, Jr	Wheeler, Herbert W
Schmidt, Albert A	White, Harry E
Schneider, Howard E	White, William E
Schwaar, Walter L	Whitney, Franklin M
Schwab, Anthony W	Wible, Calvin D
Schwartz, Malcolm M	Wilkinson, Arthur
Schwarz, William H	Williams, Don J
Seelye, Robert A	Williams, Edwin S
Seasor, Darrell E	Williams, Francis L
Sehorne, James D, Jr	Williams, LeRoy L, Jr
Seich, Ralph P	Wilson, Louis
Severin, Roy R	Wilson, Robert J
Shannon, Donald J	Wingate, Clark L
Shear, Harold W	Winlock, William C
Short, Arvil L	Wise, Cecil E
Shroder, Joseph D	Wold, Vernon H
Shuman, Jerry A	Wood, John M
Sibley, Nathan C	Wood, Thomas A
Slewert, Jack R	Woodman, Richard T
Sigman, William A	Woodrow, Ronald
Silk, Thomas R	Woods, Glenn H, Jr
Simmerling, R D	Wright, Robert E
Skardina, Anthony J	Young, Raymond H
Skinner, Julian H, Jr	Youkin, George W
Skinner, George B	Zadow, Dale W
Skolen, Clarence E	Zamzow, Earl R
Sloan, George J, Jr	Zongker, Calvin E
Sloan, Richard A	

Nichols, Wesley G	Privett, William W
Nickels, Rene J	Quigley, Quentin D
Norton, John M	Ramos, Fred M
Ojendyk, Robert T	Rose, Reuben
Overstake, Howard W	Scarborough, W. C
Peeples, Minor, Jr	Sellers, Philip D
Peterson, John A	Smith, Phillip B
Phillips, Ernest E	Wells, William A
Phillips, Robert F	Williams, Edward T
Pogue, James V	Zimmerlin, Donald J

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minates with C. L. Hodge, signal number 22452. The zone for limited duty officers terminates with C. F. Yarbrough, listed in Bureau of Naval Personnel Circular Letter 90-49.

Capt. Harry B. Jarrett is the senior member of the board. Others are Capt. Walter S. Mayer, jr., William N. Nation, Edward A. Hannegan, Benjamin Coe and Dennis L. Francis.

In addition, Capts. Samuel P. Weller, jr., Charles C. Howerton and Leo G. May will sit with the board when it considers unrestricted line officers, limited duty officers and women officers.

Capt. James A. McNally, John H. Spiller, and Joseph B. Berkley will sit when the board considers engineering duty officers; Capt. Frederick A. Berry, Jr., Harold W. Keopka and Thomas B. Haley will sit when the board considers aeronautical engineering officers; and Capt. Albert E. Hindmarsh, Jefferson R. Dennis and Charles G. Duffy will sit when the board considers special duty officers.

The number of officers that may be selected are: unrestricted line, 1,472; engineering duty, 8; aeronautical engineering, 6; special duty, 12; and limited duty, 8.

The three selection boards to be convened by the Marine Corps early next year will recommend officers for promotion to the grades of Major General, Brigadier General, Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel. The board to select Major Generals will meet on 5 Jan., the board to select Brigadier Generals on 12 Jan., and the board to select Colonels and Lieutenant Colonels on 2 Feb. All will convene at Marine Corps Headquarters.

The Marine Corps said that promotion zones for each grade "are not yet definite" since they are dependent on vacancies in the authorized distribution of Marine officers by grade, to be determined as of 1 Jan. 1950, by the Secretary of the Navy.

Composition of the boards will be as follows:

Major General

Lt. Gen. Thomas E. Watson, President
 Lt. Gen. LeRoy P. Hunt
 Maj. Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr.
 Maj. Gen. Field Harris
 Maj. Gen. William J. Wallace
 Rear Adm. Arthur G. Robinson
 Rear Adm. Glenn B. Davis
 Rear Adm. Willard A. Kitts, III
 Rear Adm. Edmund W. Burrough
Brigadier Generals
 Maj. Gen. Keller E. Rockey, President
 Maj. Gen. Samuel L. Howard
 Maj. Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd
 Maj. Gen. Graves B. Erskine
 Maj. Gen. Louis E. Woods
 Maj. Gen. Franklin A. Hart
 Maj. Gen. William J. Wallace
 Maj. Gen. William T. Clement
 Maj. Gen. Mervin H. Silverthorn

Merwin H. Silverthorn
Fred S. Bobillard

Brig. Gen. Fred S. Robillard
Brig. Gen. John Halla
Colonels and Lt. Colonels
Maj. Gen. Samuel Howard, President

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Atken, Lowell A	Gross, Melvin G
Baker, Stewart M, Jr	Hamilton, James F
Blakelock, David R	Hayes, Errol E, Jr
Brazil, Hal B	Hill, Robert M
Burt, Samuel F	Hockman, Lawrence J
Busson, James C	Hodges, Morris D
Chamberlain, R L	Hoff, Wilford J, Jr
Champion, Fred R	Houseman, E O, Jr
Cook, Lodwick M	Hulse, Boyd L
Cope, Richard A	Jacobson, A C, Jr
Coulter, Donald W	Jorgensen, Calvin P
DeLashmet, Gordon B	Kastner, William H
Dilts, James R	Kenney, Donald E
Dissek, John J, Jr	Kotter, Gerald L
Dixon, Logan B, Jr	Laney, William S
Edner, Lewis V	Lillibrige, John L
Ellison, Ronald L	Lorenze, Max F
Felder, Felham L, III	Lytle, Wayman H
Foerst, John E	MacGregor, F M, Jr
Gotowicki, Paul P	Mack, Harry J
Fulmer, Charles R	Matthews, Doyle J
Grant, Horace R, Jr	Moody, Charles S, Jr
Green, Calvin E	Muldowney, T J
Green, Kuhl C	Neal, William B

Neuropsychiatric Nursing

Class No. 5 of Course 8-0-7, Neuropsychiatric Nursing, has been announced by the Army Medical Department. The course of instruction will be of 24 weeks duration, starting 6 March, 1950 and ending 18 Aug., and will be conducted at the Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Reporting date will be 1 March.

Texas. Reporting date will be 1 March.
Applications must be submitted through
channels so as to reach The Surgeon Gen-
eral, Department of the Army, Attn:
Personnel Division, Washington 25, D. C.
not later than 18 Jan., 1950.